

Senator Asks Bill To Curb Monopoly Of John L. Lewis

BY MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON—(P)—Senator Robertson (D-Va.) called today for speedy enactment of a bill which he said would curb the "monopolistic powers" of John L. Lewis.

The measure would make labor unions subject to the anti-trust laws if they restrained trade unreasonably in industries affecting the national health and safety.

Robertson, sponsor of the bill, said in a statement prepared for a senate judiciary subcommittee that Lewis, chief of the United Mine Workers union, is "vested with monopolistic powers." Lewis, the senator added, is using

those powers to control the production as well as the price of coal.

That is the effect of the three-day mine week put in effect by Lewis, Robertson told the subcommittee.

Lewis' tactics, he added, tend to drive out small business and "put remaining big business under the control of a monopolist."

Robertson said that actually Lewis' "control of production and prices" has spread to allied industries "and has had a serious impact upon our whole economy."

"The country has refused to accept monopolistic dictation by industry leaders and it should not be required to accept any such dictation by a labor leader. X X X

"In fact, no business combination of which I ever heard has achieved the kind of arbitrary power and control that John L. Lewis now possesses and wields."

Robertson was booked as the first witness at the subcommittee's public hearings on his bill. A committee aide said Lewis was invited to testify but sent word he would be unable to appear.

"He said in effect," the aide reported, "that he is occupied elsewhere."

That obviously was a reference to the government's court action against the mine chief under the Taft-Hartley law. A restraining order granted last Saturday directed Lewis to tell the miners to go back to work.

Lewis told the diggers about the order, but they have ignored it. However, negotiations between the union and operators have been resumed—another step the court ordered.

Crew Survives In Leap From Blazing B-36

Men Land In Trees On Rugged Islands

MCCORD AIR FORCE BASE, Wash.—(P)—Six crew members of an abandoned air force B-36 were reported still missing today along the rugged British Columbia coast.

A Coast Guard report last night that all 17 of the men had been picked up or located was without substantiation this morning.

Search headquarters here and at Vancouver, B. C., and the Coast Guard at Ketchikan, Alaska, said a large scale search was under way today for the six.

Eleven men were rescued dramatically by a fish boat yesterday and last night from Ashdown and Princess Royal Islands. They had parachuted from the burning B-36 Monday night after three engines caught fire on a flight from Alaska to Texas.

Ten survivors were picked up after they had endured miserable cold and wet and hunger for more than 30 hours. One was picked up later by a rescue team from a Canadian destroyer after he had hung head down for 10 hours, with legs broken, after he had landed in a tree on a cliff side.

He survived for additional hours in an improvised shelter after other survivors freed him but couldn't get him to the beach.

Hopes that all of the 17 had been rescued were blasted rudely this morning. The Coast Guard information office here said the original report that all were located, and safe, had come from an Alaska base, but that it later was corrected.

Comdr. F. J. Scheiber at the Coast Guard's Ketchikan base (Continued on Page 3)

Dow Blast Kills Seven At Midland; 9 Injured



Big Building Blown Apart By Explosion

Jolt Felt For Miles; Windows Shattered

MIDLAND, Mich.—(P)—An explosion shattered a big building at the sprawling Dow Chemical Co. today, killing an estimated seven workers.

At least nine more men were injured in the violent blast, that shook this entire city of 12,000. Rescue crews were digging through the smoldering hulk of the ruined building to determine if there were more casualties.

A temporary morgue was set up at the fire department of the great chemical works.

The explosion blew off the roof and knocked out a wall of a 100 by 400 foot building known as number 414. The building houses Dow's latex paint process plant.

Service crews—not the regular employees—were working in the building at the time. For this reason company officials said they could not learn quickly how many men were in the plant at the time of the blast, 11:25 a. m.

The building is located at the eastern edge of the Dow property here, near Midland's city limits. The cause of the blast was not determined.

Five of the six dead were identified as: Dave Brubaker, George Riggie, Floyd Schreiber, R. A. Nissila, H. S. Hawkins.

At Midland hospital the first four injured to be admitted were identified as:

W. C. Hudson, Pete Mesh, Jacob Dengel and Roy Lemmer.

Every ambulance in this chemical city was called into action to take away the dead and injured. The first of the injured were removed by truck.

Flames Shoot Up Immediately following the blast, a wall of flame shot up out of the shattered building. Firemen reported at noon, however, that the fire was under control.

Homes in a large area surrounding the Dow property were shaken by the explosion, which was heard for miles around. Windows of nearby houses were broken by its force.

The Dow company, one of the world's largest manufacturers of chemicals, extends over a mile-wide area of this central Michigan city.

The plant in which the explosion occurred was engaged in the manufacture of rubber base paint, one of the hundreds of Dow products.

The first casualties were brought to Midland hospital from the Dow first aid station. The hospital said three injured had arrived so far, "with more coming."

Conservatives Gain In British Betting

LONDON—(P)—One of Britain's biggest betting commissioners said today the Conservatives are fast overhauling the Labor party for the role of gambling favorite in the national election next Thursday.

"They may even go to the post as equal choices—say 5 to 6 and take your pick," predicted the odds maker for Douglas Stuart, Ltd., a London bookmaking firm.

For the last two days Labor has been an 8 to 13 favorite after once touching 4 to 7. You can still get 5 to 4 against the Conservatives.

Nevertheless, Winston Churchill, the Conservative leader, is the favorite at 11 to 8 to be the next prime minister.

A short head behind is Labor's Clement Attlee, who holds the job now, at 6 to 4.

Detroit Loses Plea For Leniency After Slaying Ill Daughter

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Truman To Spur His Fair Dealers At \$100 A Plate

By D. HAROLD OLIVER

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman was reported ready today to raise a new call for his whole legislative program. The occasion is a major address he will deliver tonight at a gala \$100-a-plate Jefferson-Jackson day dinner.

The mammoth affair—described as the largest dinner ever held under one roof—will be staged at the National Guard Armory. It has been a sell-out since Monday. More than 5,200 persons from all over the country and the territories will attend.

Each has pledged a \$100 contribution to party war chest for the privilege of hearing the president and dining on broiled filet mignon. This means that the Washington dinner alone will raise around \$530,000 for the 1950 campaign.

Other dinners for \$50 on down have been and will continue to be held over the next few weeks here and there. The cost of the dinners, of course, is only a small part of the contribution.

In sounding the keynote for the Democrats in this congressional election year, the president was described by National chairman William Boyle as prepared to call for full speed ahead on his administration program.

He also was reported as likely to take a few pot shots at the Republicans. In a 1950 campaign document ten days ago, the GOP said the major issue today is "liberty against socialism."

The opposition party said basic American principles are threatened.

Misrule Denied At Otter Lake

Child Billet Gossip Rapped By Legion

LANSING—(P)—The charges of mismanagement against the American Legion Children's Billet at Otter Lake are rooted in "malicious gossip" and "trash," an investigating legislative committee was told last night.

Winding up the Legion's rebuttal to charges of mismanagement, Thomas Rounell of Detroit, Legion judge advocate, declared: "For 20 years we have been able to account for every penny we received."

Summing up the charges against the Billet, Rounell said:

1. Misappropriation of funds had not been proved.

2. Medical care of the children had been proved adequate.

3. Charges of mistreatment of children had been explained as isolated cases where children had been slapped or cuffed by misguided employees against the orders of the Billet authorities.

4. Charges by an auditor general's survey that cost per child was excessive had been answered. It was shown that the \$480 cost for maintaining children in foster homes used as a standard did not include clothing, medical care and many other items supplied at the Billet.

Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) won approval of this move as a preliminary to an effort to establish a tight system of government controls over potatoes. The aim is to hold down production and avoid costly surpluses.

The Lucas proposal removing supports was attached to a house-passed measure revising cotton controls. It previously had been approved informally late last night by the same group.

Barmails Lose Fight Against Michigan Law

LANSING—(P)—A group of bar mauls lost another move today to block enforcement of a 1949 law outlawing their trade in major cities.

The state supreme court refused to issue a temporary injunction against enforcement of the law pending an appeal to be heard in April from a Wayne county court's refusal to invalidate the law.

The act forbids the employment of bar mauls in cities of 50,000 population or more except for female owners of bars and the wives and daughters of bar owners.

The legal fight is being carried on by the Dearborn Bar Mails association.

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Fuel Shortage Crimps Basic U. S. Industries

Acute Unemployment Crisis Foreseen

By NORMAN WALKER

WASHINGTON—(P)—Hints that John L. Lewis is readying stiffer money demands on coal operators came today as strike effects spread steadily in basic industries using coal for fuel.

David L. Cole, President Truman's personal observer in the court-directed coal dispute bargaining meetings, declined to tell reporters whether Lewis already has boosted his demands.

Lewis, barred from seeking four of his key contract terms, is reported determined to get instead a healthy wage and welfare fund boost, a shorter work week and a seniority system for employing miners.

May Ask \$15.50

Besides the union-controlled welfare fund set-up, Lewis now is restrained by federal court order from insisting that miners work only when "able and willing" and that they may take long "memorial period holidays." These clauses had been bitterly opposed by the industry.

Previously Lewis has indicated he would settle for a \$15 daily wage for miners, compared with the present \$14.05 rate, and a 35-cent tonnage royalty for the welfare fund for miners' pensions and other benefits in place of the present 20-cent royalty.

Now Lewis may insist on a pay increase to \$15.50 and a 40-cent royalty, with a seven-hour work day instead of an eight-hour day, along with assurances that older miners will retain their jobs if there is any firing.

The union shop, under which only union members may be hired, and other contract clauses Lewis had asked now have been declared probably illegal by federal Judge Richmond B. Keach. The same judge directed an end of the strike—an order the miners have so far ignored.

Court-ordered bargaining between Lewis' United Mine Workers Union and the Operators was resumed today in spite of the continuing strike.

A presidential adviser, John D. Clark, warned of "terrible" demoralization in industry if the strike continues two or three more months, with "serious unemployment."

Brownouts Ordered Clark is a member of the president's council of economic advisers. The council's former chairman, Edwin G. Nourse, said in a separate speech here that a prolonged strike would bring severe

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Blind Wife Gets New Cornea, Will See Her Children

ATLANTA—(P)—A delicate operation performed as 1,000 doctors watched promises to enable a cotton mill worker's wife to see her husband and two children for the first time.

It was the surgical transplant ten days ago of a cornea from a stillborn baby to the left eye of Mrs. Mary Ella Sams, 33, of Manchester, Ga.

Color television picked up minute operation details and displayed them to physicians at a southeastern medical meeting. It was the first such demonstration in the south.

The bandages were removed yesterday layer by layer. Mrs. Sams' sight was tested with a flashlight beam.

She smiled as her husband, children and relatives clustered around her and told them she could detect the light.

Her doctors at Grady hospital were silent on the final results. But she herself said joyfully:

"You know, they think I'll probably have 80 per cent vision in this eye. Isn't that great?"

Mrs. Sams has been blind since an infection at the age of 18 months. If sight is restored to her left eye, a similar operation may be performed later on her other eye.

News Highlights

CHIEF ENGINEER—L. W. Belland, formerly of Rapid River, has important job at Iron Mountain VA hospital. Page 6.

SKING—Tournament will be held at Danforth hill Sunday. Page 14.

INQUEST—Both drivers held at fault in school bus-logging truck collision at Thompson. Page 13.

HATCHERY—Gladstone C. of C. urges facility be located on Bay de Noquet. Page 11.

"ANGEL STREET"—Civile Theatre play is somewhat "heavy." Page 2.

CITY COUNCIL—Walter bond election will be discussed. Page 3.

Bevin Skeptical On Atomic Deal

Churchill's Big Three Truce Called Stunt

LONDON—(P)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin last night cold shouldered Winston Churchill's proposal for a big three conference on atomic energy control.

Without mentioning the Conservative leader by name, Bevin in a political broadcast for the Labor party said atomic control would not be attained by "stunt proposals."

"We must continue to work for agreement through the atomic committee of the United Nations," Bevin declared.

But after a review of international problems in general, the Laborite spokesman on foreign affairs continued:

"If Russia shows the slightest change of attitude and indicates her readiness to settle these relations and give the world complete peace, we shall be ready to enter into discussions with the object of abolishing any possibility of war and enabling all nations to cooperate with each other."

Churchill in a political speech Tuesday suggested that a meeting of Britain, America and Russia on the "highest level" be tried to get an agreement on atomic control and a truce in the east-west cold war.

The speech was interpreted by some observers as a Conservative attempt to make the A-bomb a campaign issue. Churchill, if his early wins control of parliament, would be prime minister and in a position to push for another meeting with President Truman and Generalissimo Stalin.

Los Angeles Mobster Dagna Still Missing; 4 Of His Men Freed

LOS ANGELES—(P)—Mobster Jack Dagna is still missing but four of his men are back in circulation.

Jack's brother, Tom; his son, Francis; his nephew, Louis, and Guillermo Adamo were freed by police yesterday after being questioned about the recent bombing of the home of gambler Mickey Cohen. Tom's other son, also named Frank, was charged with failure to register as a sex offender.

Dagna disappeared shortly after the governor's crime commission identified him as a member of the Mafia, Sicilian underworld society, and as a "rival" of Cohen. Authorities believe he may be in Mexico.

Police say they have been told that two Cohen men, Frank Niccoli and Dave Ogul, also are in Mexico. They've been missing for months. Cohen had to make good their bonds, totaling \$75,000, when they failed to appear on charges in connection with the beating of A. M. Pearson.

Weather

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Mostly cloudy and colder tonight with snow over the east portion. Friday generally fair and slightly warmer.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Cloudy and colder tonight, wind northwest 10 to 15 mph. Friday fair and slightly warmer, wind light variable. High 30° low 16°.

Past 24 Hours High Low ESCANABA 27° 21°

Low Past 24 Hours
Alpena 24 Lansing 23
Battle Creek 23 Los Angeles 49
Bismarck 46 Marquette 30
Brownsville 48 Memphis 32
Buffalo 28 Miami 20
Cadillac 19 Milwaukee 61
Chicago 19 Minneapolis 42
Cincinnati 26 New Orleans 44
Cleveland 26 New York 36
Dallas 39 Omaha 32
Denver 28 Phoenix 44
Detroit 28 St. Louis 27
Duluth 11 St. Paul 22
Grand Rapids 24 San Francisco 46
Houghton 20 St. Joe, Marie 21
Jacksonville 42 Traverse City 23
Kansas City 19 Washington 39

Crackdown Launched On Rackets In U. S.

By JACK ADAMS

WASHINGTON—(P)—The nation's law enforcement officials today began whipping into shape a "master plan for moving in on the rackets."

The decision to set in motion an organized crackdown on the country's multi-billion-dollar gambling machinery was taken yesterday by Attorney General McGrath's national conference on law enforcement.

The steps proposed in this direction ranged from "moral influence" to far-reaching new legislation by Congress, along with the closest possible cooperation among federal, state and local authorities.

President Truman, who briefly attended the conference sessions at the justice department yesterday, suggested a moral crusade against crime.

He called for an aroused public opinion against the postwar "reurgence of underworld forces living on vice and greed," which he said has been attended by a major increase in crimes of violence.

The attorney general's conference decided to set up a permanent organization after a day of hearing crime reports from all parts of the country.

A "continuing executive committee" on law enforcement was created with 38-year-old Mayor Quigg Newton of Denver at its head.

A second committee, headed by Mayor Thomas D'Alesandro of Baltimore, was authorized to begin work at once on a series of recommendations for action by Congress, to be submitted there by April 15.

McGrath was asked to act as coordinator for "a master plan for moving in on the rackets."

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State Surveys Storm Damage

Weather Eases After Blizzard Jag

(By The Associated Press)

Michigan was back to her February self weatherwise today after ice-storm and blizzard jag.

U. S. forecasters expect the state to stay that way through Friday.

Communications were back to normal, although Monday night's icing rains and sleet broke more than 4,000 telephone lines and downed power lines in many areas.

At one time 32 towns were telephonically isolated and six were without power. Michigan Bell figured its storm bill at between \$125,000 and \$150,000.

Streams which the storms sent out of banks temporarily, forcing evacuations in scattered areas, were receding today and all danger believed past.

Overnight snows measured from four inches around Muskegon to a trace at Detroit and Jackson, Grand Rapids and Pellston got two inches, while one inch fell in Traverse City, Alpena, Saginaw, Lansing, and Cadillac.

State Employees Seek \$300 A Year Raise

LANSING—(P)—The United Public Workers-CIO appealed to Governor Williams today for help in getting state employees a \$300 a year wage increase from the state Civil Service commission.

The union contended state employees were substantially underpaid compared to private industry and comparable units of federal and local governments.

A union statement attacked Civil Service Commissioner William Palmer for a recent speech in which he advocated reducing the number of state employees and reinstating the 44-hour work week to check state costs.

CHECK FORGER NABBED

CADILLAC—(P)—Charles Starkey, 25, was held Thursday for arraignment in recorder's court on a charge of forging government checks. State police took him into custody Wednesday. Secret service men had sought him in Michigan and West Virginia.

Skunk Tops Off Filmdom Feud

Joan Bennett Irked By Hedda Hopper

HOLLYWOOD—(P)—Hedda Hopper received a skunk as a Valentine present from Joan Bennett—and christened it "Joan."

Then she gave it away to cat-fancier James Mason, saying, "Seems there's a great affinity between cats and skunks."

Miss Bennett paid \$35 for the deodorized, house-broken wood pussy. She also spent \$400 for two full-page ads in trade papers to tell all Hollywood about her feud with Miss Hopper.

The actress said of the columnist: "I've been the victim of her attacks for many, many years."

"The ad contained reprints of columns by Hedda Hopper and rival Harry Crocker of the Los Angeles Examiner."

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Delta Relief Load Hits New High Of 687; Total 1949 Cost Up \$136,498

Steadily mounting direct relief loads and consequently higher relief costs marked the social welfare picture in Delta county during the past year, according to comparative reports on welfare expenditures issued by the Delta county social welfare department.

State Proposes Building Here

May Match \$100,000 Bonifas Bequest

The \$100,000 bequest of the late Catherine Bonifas providing for the construction in Escanaba of a state office building may soon be matched by a similar amount if the legislature accepts Governor Williams budget recommendations for 1950-51.

The governor will ask the special session, on March 15, for an appropriation of \$100,000 to supplement the funds bequeathed by Mrs. Bonifas. If the recommendation is approved, a site for the building would be provided by the City of Escanaba at no cost to the state.

The city is now negotiating with owners of properties in the north half of the 300 block on Ludington street, not including the N. T. Stephenson property, in acquiring a site for the proposed state office building.

Several conferences with state building department officials have been held in Escanaba in connection with the proposed building.

Currently the state is renting space in Escanaba for the Highway Department, the Liquor Control Commission, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Social Welfare and the Michigan Unemployment Compensation Commission at a total annual rental of \$12,540 per year. Of the eight offices rented only two include light, heat, water, and janitor service in the rental cost. Exclusive of the Liquor Control Commission's store, the annual rental charges are \$7,020.

Other Upper Peninsula projects for which the governor will recommend appropriations and the amounts recommended include \$40,000 for a 4-H Club livestock building at the Upper Peninsula State Fair; \$20,000 for improvements at Porcupine Mountains State Park; \$50,000 for a new 130-bed custodial building for the Children's Unit and \$25,000 for remodeling and fireproofing two cottages at Newberry State Hospital; \$280,000 to rebuild Peter White Hall at Northern Michigan College of Education; and \$27,070 for converting the old heating plant at Michigan College of Mining and Technology into a mechanical engineering laboratory.

Appropriations for construction and special maintenance recommended by the governor for 1950-1951 total \$27,928,500. This figure, however, is only about 40 per cent of the \$68,840,335 requested for these purposes by the state agencies. If approved, the governor's recommendations will provide the basis for a major advance in the state's mental health and educational facilities, and will help to correct conditions resulting from continued delay and neglect during the depression and war years.

American Legion

FISH FRY

Every Friday

Members and friends, come and get it!

direct relief load was 476 cases. By the end of the year this had increased to 687 cases.

The cost of direct relief for 1949 was \$298,537.48 compared to \$162,039.40 for 1948, an increase of \$136,498.08.

The cost of direct relief is financed by state and county funds. Unemployment and an increasing number of unemployables, together with higher cost per case for direct relief resulted in the higher case load and cost items.

The advance in relief cases was not marked in 1948, increasing only from 365 to 432 for that year; while 1949 brought a more rapid rise in the number of relief cases—from 476 in January to 687 in December of last year.

Illustrating the rise in relief load and costs month by month for 1949 is the following table:

Cases	Cost
January . . . 476	\$17,818.72
February . . . 496	19,207.63
March . . . 573	24,729.23
April . . . 549	23,158.64
May . . . 539	22,061.20
June . . . 563	22,072.65
July . . . 589	23,871.50
August . . . 617	25,327.50
September . . . 624	27,723.43
October . . . 619	27,060.10
November . . . 649	30,339.02
December . . . 687	35,158.15

The latest comparative report issued by the Delta county social welfare department was for the month of December, 1949.

This reveals that the number of old age assistance cases was 890; aid to dependent children 195; and aid to the blind 9. The total cost of these three services was \$54,317.30 which is financed equally by state and federal funds.

County welfare and hospital cost for December was \$2,003.15, and the cost of administering the entire social welfare program in the county was \$1,947.77 for the month. These costs are financed wholly by county funds.

Shacker Suffers Frostbite Injury

George Zubrich, age about 70, who resides on the North Bay Shore road, was removed to St. Francis hospital Wednesday suffering with frozen elbows and knees.

Zubrich told local police that he fell into the water at the bay shore several days ago. He was shoveling snow near his shack when police arrived to investigate a report from neighbors that Zubrich was suffering from frostbite. His elbows and knees were affected.

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Auto License Bureau Open Friday Night

The Escanaba automobile license bureau in the First National Bank building will be open Friday from 9 a. m. to noon and from 1 to 9 p. m. to accommodate purchasers of 1950 automobile license plates, William Ranguette, in charge of the bureau, said this morning.

The deadline is only eight days away and all motorists in this vicinity are especially requested by Ranguette to procure their new plates without further delay to ease and to avoid the last-minute rush.

All outside car owners are asked to be sure to report before the last day to apply for a title and Michigan license plates. Michigan motorists must bring their titles and their 1950 prepared applications with them. If they do not have prepared applications, new ones will be issued at the office.

All truck and trailer owners must have their 1949 registration papers. If lost or misplaced, Ranguette said, new weight slips must be presented.

Doctor Clifford Seriously Ill

The condition of Dr. P. M. Clifford of Green Bay, who suffered a stroke Monday afternoon, remains unchanged. He is a patient in St. Vincent hospital at Green Bay and is seriously ill.

Doctor Clifford is a brother of Gerald J. Clifford of Green Bay. Both are sons of the late Paul Clifford, who was superintendent of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad division here before moving to Green Bay.

Generators with capacity of 424,000 kilowatts were installed by the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation in 1949.

For Lasting Energy



MORE TENDER
MORE DELICIOUS
MACARONI

Car Stalls, Is Rammed In Rear

GLADSTONE—An automobile owned by Robert Paquette, Harland avenue, Wells, was rammed in the right rear by a car driven by Mildred Arley Lund of Rapid River, on US 2-41 in the vicinity of the Day's River Road at 9:30 last night. The accident occurred when the Paquette car going east stalled on the highway just ahead of Mrs. Lund. No one was injured but the front of the Lund car was damaged extensively. State Police investigated the accident.

Los Angeles Council Gets Complaint From Be-Whiskered Goats

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Los Angeles city councilmen have faced many kinds of constituents, irate and otherwise. But Tuesday they rubbed their eyes twice. Sitting in the front row of the council chamber was a goat. No kidding! The be-whiskered beast was there representing himself and other goats of the San Fernando Valley who would be barred from premises of less than half an acre under a proposed city ordinance.

The goat was accompanied by members (people) of the San Fernando Valley Goat society, Rupert O. Alan, the society's vice president, went to bat for goats, saying: "I can follow a goat around all day with a whiskbroom and a dust pan, but I challenge any of you fellows to do that with a horse, and yet your ordinance would permit horses on smaller plots than goats."

As to odors, the owner of the exhibited goat, Clarence Straight, asked the council to "come and smell it for yourself." The council politely declined and postponed the matter for one week.

FISH FRY FRIDAY

Potvin's Tavern

Schaffer, Mich.

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'Angel Street' Is Heavy Fare For Local Audience

Escanaba Civic Theatre's "Angel Street" proved heavy fare last night for a typical Escanaba audience in Wm. Oliver auditorium. From the reception given "Angel Street", a typical Escanaba audience likes to laugh. It evidenced its appreciation of the occasional humor that relieves the drama of "Angel Street", but it failed to respond to the east's sincere effort to create suspense—the chief ingredient of Patrick Hamilton's story of a wife whose murdering husband attempts to drive her insane. Miss Audrey Butt directed the production.

Miss Ruth Backels was cast as Mrs. Manningham, the wife. Her portrayal of a difficult role, requiring the registering of emotions from abject fear to triumphant revenge, was effectively done—although this reviewer might wish for a more sustained and slower pace in the third act razor scene, dramatic climax of the play.

Mr. Manningham, the villainous husband, was played by Al LaGuire. His Manningham was a convincing portrayal. Commanding stage presence and a good voice combined to make the characterization strong and believable, an important factor in achieving the realism of mood necessary in such a dramatic presentation.

also be attributed to unfamiliarity with the usual amenities of the theater.

Between-acts music was presented by Miss Joan Frasher, violinist, and Miss Suzanne Lindstrom, accompanist.

Mrs. C. L. Riegel played before the curtain.

Mrs. James LaVasser was prompter, and production workers were as follows:

Howard Eldred, Whitney Dixon, Paul Corcoran, Henry Kobas, Dr. Gardner Eversole, Charles Mag-

nuson, James Gallagher, Richard Oslund, Duncan Cameron, Euston Gaynor, Bill Farrell, Mrs. Lency Clairmont, Rose LaChapelle, Percy Weinberg, Therese Roberge, Jessie Wick, Audrey Butt, Pat Graham, Helen Masterson, Hilla Karpinen, Beatrice Geason, Katherine Skopp, Mrs. Karl Gray, Mrs. Harold Snyder.

"Angel Street" proved creditable dramatic entertainment but audience reaction again indicated that Escanaba people prefer comedy.

—Clint Dunthan

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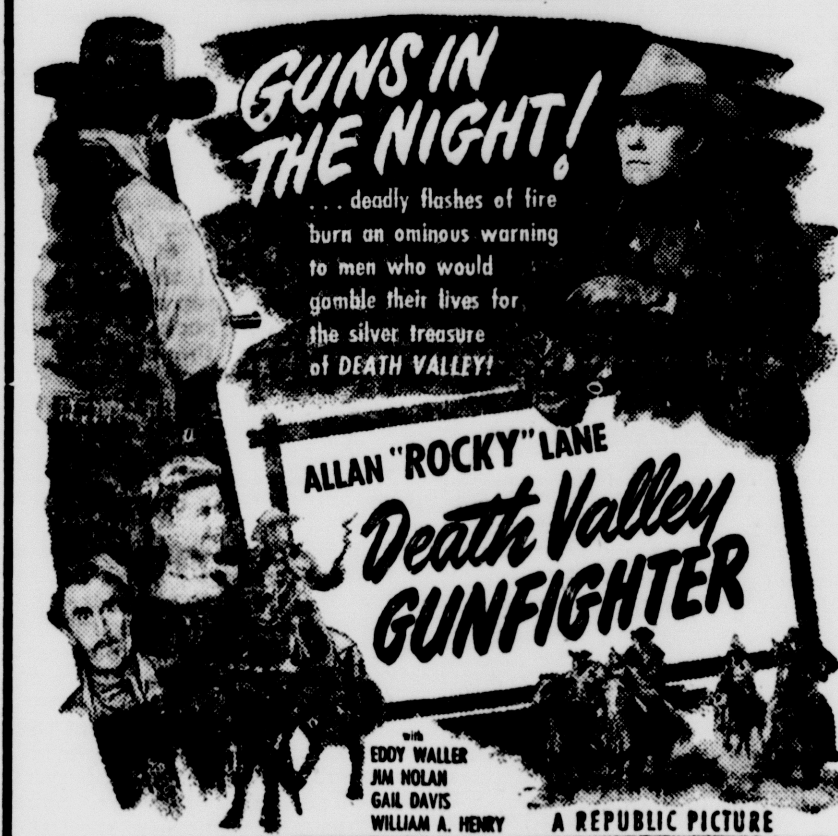
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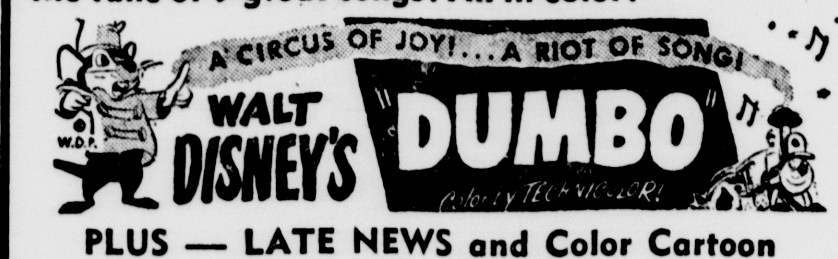
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City Council Meets Tonight

Water Bond Election To Be Discussed

The Escanaba city council will hold its regular meeting this evening at eight o'clock at the city hall council chambers.

Items of business scheduled for action at this meeting follow:

Second reading of amendment to fire department ordinance, regarding reclassification.

Resolution adopting new pay plan for the new firemen classifications.

Signing of contract between the City of Escanaba and Consoer, Townsend and Associates.

Decision on when to vote on water bond issue.

Request for donation to infantile paralysis fund.

Request of Fred Schmitt.

Fuel Pinch Hits U. S. Industries

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and general economic distress.

Steel plants and railroads have suffered most so far. Most other plants depending upon electric energy were getting by.

In New York state, tight controls on sale and use of coal were being readied for application Friday. A voluntary control system was invoked here in Washington.

In some areas brownouts, or curfews on using electricity made from coal, were in effect. Some schools were ordered closed for lack of heat.

President Truman's observer, Cole, said negotiators spent a lot of time in the initial bargaining session yesterday discussing the general economy of the coal industry—both sides blaming each other.

One matter dwelt upon was the accepted fact the industry can produce far more coal than the country needs. This was considered a build-up for demands by Lewis for a seven-hour work day—to share the work among miners—and the seniority system, to protect miners' jobs.

An argument by southern producers for a bargaining session with Lewis separate from the operators representing other areas threatened to break down the bargaining session yesterday.

The Dixie group went to court for clarification of Judge Keech's order that the union and the operators get together in peace talks. The court issued instructions that the single set of bargaining sessions continue.

In Virginia, the legislature completed action on a measure permitting the governor to seize and operate coal mines in an emergency if the welfare of the people so requires. Gov. John S. Battle, saying he will sign the bill, planned no immediate action under its terms.

Cleveland Ready To Welcome New Sports Hero: Joey Maxim

CLEVELAND—Cleveland got out the bunting today and prepared a hero's welcome for its new ring champion, Joey Maxim, lightweight king of the world.

The 27-year-old fighter, who won the title by knocking out Freddie Mills in London three weeks ago, is the city's second world champion.

The first was Johnny Kilbane, ruler of the featherweights from 1912 to 1923, who was given a top spot in today's ceremonies.

Chicago Prices

CHICAGO BUTTER—(P)—Butter, firm; receipts 474,408; prices unchanged.

CHICAGO EGGS—(P)—Eggs, firm; receipts 17,184; prices unchanged except 1/2 cent a dozen higher on U. S. heavier, min. 70 pct. A at 33 and min. 60 pct. A at 32.

CHICAGO POTATOES—(P)—(USDA)—Potatoes: Arrivals 83, total U. S. shipments 829; supplies moderate; demand slow; market very dull; Colorado and McIntoshes, \$3.25 to \$3.30; Idaho russet Burbanks, \$3.90; Minnesota North Dakota Red River Valley bliss triumphs, \$2.25 unwashed.

CHICAGO GRAIN—(P)—Grains eased slightly on the Board of Trade today in a session of listless dealings.

Wheat opened relatively steady, but initial weakness in corn and soybeans brought a little sympathetic selling into the bread cereal also. Soybeans rallied from opening losses which extended to a cent.

Near the end of the first hour wheat was 1/4 to 3/4 cent lower, March \$2.18; corn was 3/4 to 1/2 cent lower, March \$1.28 1/4, and oats were 1/4 lower, May 69 1/4. Soybeans were 1/4 to 3/4 cent lower, March \$2.33 1/4, and soybean meal was unchanged, May \$10.57 a hundred pounds.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK—(P)—(USDA)—Salable hogs 12,000; active after slow start; general market steady to 25 cents lower except butchers over 250 lbs. strong; most good and choice 170 to 220 lbs. \$17.50 to \$17.75; few loads \$17.50 and \$17.60 with \$18.00 top paid sparingly for choice 200 to 220 lb. averages; bulk good and choice 200 to 250 lbs. \$16.50 to \$16.75; including several loads 220 to 330 lbs. at \$16.25; bulk good and choice 250 to 450 lbs. down \$14.50 to \$15.75; heavier weights \$13.50 to \$14.50; good clearance.

Salable cattle 3,500; salable calves 300; slaughter steers and heifers fully steady, instances 25 cents higher on medium grades; cows steady to 25 cents higher; bulls weak to 25 cents lower; vealers steady; steers grading high-good and better absent; bulk medium and good grades \$12.50 to \$22.50; load good 1,015 lb. weight \$27.75; load common to medium steers \$22.00; medium to good heifers \$22.50 to \$26.00; odd head \$27.00; common to good beef cows \$16.75 to \$21.00; largely \$17.00 to \$20.00; canners and cutters \$12.50 to \$16.50; medium and good sausage bulls \$20.50 to \$22.50; medium to choice vealers \$27.00 to \$33.00.

Salable sheep 4,500; practically nothing done; scattered early sales about steady but generally 25 to 50 cents or more lower; early top 103 lb. lambs \$24.00; aged western bucks weighing 150 lbs. \$10.00.



"FEAR NOT, FAIR LADY!" declaims Mel Trams, the brave hero, to the lovely maiden, Dr. M. H. Garrard, Jr., as the foiled villain, Francis Rooney, gnashes his teeth. The stirring scene is all a part of the "mellodrammer" which was one of the hilarious features of the Gay Nineties party staged by the Escanaba

Lions club Monday evening at the Sherman hotel. The committee in charge of the valentine dinner party for Lions and their ladies included Mr. Trams, Leonard Olson, Karl Dickson, Gordon Sullivan and Dick Perring.—W. Gordon Sullivan Photo.

Icebox Bandit Pulls Job At Ann Arbor; Truck Driver Shivers

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—(P)—Frankster or thief, Detroit's "ice box bandit" went into action here early today.

As a result Hershel Starks of Detroit, driver for a Kroger's market here, spent more than three hours shivering in a refrigerator.

City police said they were convinced the man was the same who pulled an identical stunt in Detroit a few days ago.

Again, no money was taken, but a truck, loaded with produce, was driven away.

Starks said an armed man wearing welder's goggles interrupted him while he was unloading between 3:30 and 4 a. m. at the Kroger store at Stadium and Packard.

The driver said he was ordered at gunpoint into the big walk-in refrigerator and the door closed upon him.

Afterwards, the man reloaded the truck and drove it off. The truck later was found abandoned near Bellville on the Willow Run expressway. Ten cases of cigarettes were missing.

SPORTS MIRROR

Today a year ago—Kentucky topped the weekly Associated Press basketball poll with St. Louis University second.

Five years ago—Army's basketball team suffered its first defeat in 23 games, losing to Pennsylvania, 61-52, at Philadelphia.

Fifteen years ago—Equipoise, king of thoroughbreds, was beaten by Sweeping Light in the San Diego handicap.

Bowling Notes

CITY LEAGUE (Escanaba)

	W	L
Johnston Printers	13	5
Maytag Sales	13	5
C. & N. W.	10	8
The Tavern	8	10
Wilkinson's	8	10
Nesbitt	8	10
U. C. T. Srs.	7	11
U. C. T. Jrs.	5	13

HTM—Printers, 3475; HTG—Maytag Sales, 338; HTM—Ken Olson, 531; HTG—Clarence Larson, 213.

Ten high averages—Max Saums 172, Hank Naumann 172, Ray Miller 171, Cecil LaCombe 168, Ken Olson 166, John Knauf 165, Robert Holmes 165, Joe Guerin 165, Bob Moran 164, Rudy Gainer 160.

ELKS MONDAY—7 P. M.

	W	L
Belanger's	12	9
Ehlers's	10	11
Perron's	10	11
Beauchamp's	10	11
HTM—Beauchamp's, 1950; HTG—Beauchamp's, 694; HTM—Florence Buchanan, 40; HTG—Lu Barnhart, 172.		

Ten high averages—Frances Boyle 144, Clarence Buchanan 136, Margaret Beauchamp 132, Shirley Stoll 130, Ruth Hengesh 129, Blanche Christie 129, Lu Schwartz 126, Pat Anderson 126, Lu Barnhart 126, Helen Costley 126.

ELKS LADIES (Escanaba)

	W	L
Lee's	14	7
Schultz's	14	7
Bathke's	10	11
Coca Cola	10	11
HTM—Schultz's, 2210; HTG—Coca Cola's, 725; HTM—Isabel Klug, 502; HTG—Isabel Klug, 191.		

Ten high averages—Elaine Morton 143, Isabel Klug 145, Ceal Ferguson 141, Marcela Saums 140, Pearl Curtis 140, Gilbert Richards 138, Alice Carlson 137, Raymond Moran 139, Elmo Kangas 136, Robert Holmes 135, William Rogers 134, Jean Hengesh 133, Phyllis Benard 132, Doris Auger 132, Monnie LaVolette 132.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE (Escanaba)

	W	L	Pct.
Nu Way Cleaners	43	23	.652
O. K. Auto	43	25	.621
Independents	36	27	.569
Hyde Strikers	33	33	.500
Harnischfeger, TC	32	34	.485
Harnischfeger, PH	23	41	.359
Countertops	16	50	.242

HTM—Furlo's, 2542; HTG—Hyde Strikers, 908; HTM—Glen Michael, 563; HTG—Earl Porath, 244.

Ten high averages—Glen Michael 173, Gilbert Kangas 170, Myron Carlson 170, Raymond Moran 169, Elmo Kangas 166, Robert Holmes 165, William Rogers 161, Ralph DeCaire 161, Robert Moran 161, Michael Kuchenberg 160, Edward Gauthier 160.

16 VA Hospital Jobs Available

Civil Service Asks For Applications

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich.—Sixteen more openings for positions at the Veterans' hospital in Iron Mountain were announced today by the executive secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Wood, Wis., according to Eugene Formolo, local Civil Service secretary.

Applications for the positions will be accepted until March 7, but persons interested in immediate appointment should have their applications in by Feb. 23.

The positions and starting salary for each, follow: fire-fighter (general) and fire-fighter (driver-operator), \$2,900 to \$3,125; building maintenance supervisor (chief of buildings and ground section), \$3,125; supervising operating engineer (supervisor plant operations unit), \$3,125 to \$3,400; general mechanic (mechanical and buildings), general mechanic (supervisor of maintenance and repair unit) and supervisor of buildings, (maintenance and repair), \$2,900 to \$3,125; garage superintendent, \$3,125; auto mechanic (gasoline), \$2,674; carpenter, \$2,900; electrician, \$2,900; painter, \$2,900; plumber, \$2,900, and fireman (stationary boiler), \$2,450.

Periodic increases will be given, for satisfactory service, until the maximum salary for each position is reached.

A written test is not required, since applicants will be rated on the amount and type of experience shown in their applications.

Further information may be obtained from the executive secretary at Wood or from Formolo at the Iron Mountain post office.

Freighter Riddled By Chinese Guns Docks At San Pedro

San Pedro, Calif.—(P)—The freighter Flying Arrow, marked by 38 shell hits from a Chinese Nationalist gunboat off Shanghai last Jan. 9, is riding safely in this port today.

Capt. David Jones, 31, brought the Flying Arrow in yesterday and reported that he had "received" information for the wife of a navy airman held captive by Chinese Communists.

Skipper Jones, of Chicago, told reporters the information he had for Mrs. William C. Smith of Long Beach, Calif., was confidential. He declined to discuss the information.

For months Mrs. Smith has been trying to effect the release of her husband, a navy chief electrician, Smith and Master Sgt. Elmer C. Bender, of Cincinnati and Chicago, have been held by Communists since they went on a plane flight in the Tsingtao area in October of 1948.

Most of the hull damage to the Flying Arrow from the Nationalist gunboat attack has been repaired but the after-deck house is still riddled.

Wolverine Gymnasts Defeat Minnesota

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—Minnesota's defending Big Ten Gymnastics champions suffered their first loss in four starts this season. University of Michigan Gymnasts out-scored them 52 to 44 here yesterday.

Michigan's champion acrobat, Ed Buchanan, contributed the top performance with a 277 point effort on the trampoline. He is the only acrobat ever to win the Big Ten, NCAA and NAU championships in the same year.

INGRID BANNED

HOLLAND—(P)—The city council, by a vote of 6 to 5, has gone on record opposing local showing of movies featuring Ingrid Bergman.

PRESIDENT RETIRES

MACKINAW CITY—(P)—Glenn Darrow is unopposed for election as village president here March 3. He will succeed Guy Robinson, who is retiring after 21 years in village public life.

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LANSING—(P)—Governor Williams said he had instructed the attorney general to ask for a coroner's inquest into the gas explosion two months ago which killed five persons in Birmingham.

He also named a special committee to study "the question of standards for the regulation of gas distribution systems."

"Requests have come from Fire Chief V. W. Griffith of Birmingham for a state investigation of the causes and responsibility for the blast," Williams said. "There is question whether any state agency has power to conduct such an inquiry. We are certain, however, that such an investigation is within the power of the coroner of Oakland county, and I have therefore asked the attorney general to ask that an inquest be ordered."

Social Situations

A friend asks if she may take you in her car to a party, but you have already planned to go to the party in another friend's car.

WRONG WAY: Say: "Thanks, but Ethel is taking me. Suppose we pick you up. I know she won't mind stopping for you, too."

RIGHT WAY: Explain the situation. But do not offer the services of another person. She may already have a full car.

Railroads supplied the steel industry with 3,750,000 tons of scrap metal in 1949, says the Institute of Scrap Iron and Steel.

Spinach is believed to have been transplanted from Asia to North Africa by the Moors.

Crew Jumps Out Of Blazing B36; All 17 Rescued

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said there was no information this morning on the other six men. He said the best that could be presumed was that the missing men parachuted into the same general island area.

Ice Burdens Wings

The 17 men parachuted from the ice-weighted B-36 Monday night. They landed on two rugged islands off the northern British Columbia coast, about 400 miles northwest of Vancouver, B. C.

Ten of the survivors were flown here last night.

The injured man who was picked up by the Canadian seamen

Holy Cross Has 7 Games Between Them And Perfect Season

NEW YORK—(P)—21 down and 7 to go.

That's the record of the Holy Cross Crusaders, only unbeaten major college basketball team in the country. The Crusaders have won 21 straight games and have only seven games left between them and a perfect regular season.

Dartmouth became number 21 on the Holy Cross list last night, 67-50.

Princeton tightened its hold on first place in the eastern "Ivy" league, nipping Columbia 50-48.

Western Kentucky, ranked ninth, chalked up its 11th straight with a 79-57 triumph over Miami (Fla.) Kentucky, number five, had an easy time against Mississippi, 90-50.

STUDENT UNION FLOPS

EAST LANSING—(P)—Attempts to form a labor union for student part-time employees of Michigan State college failed this week. There was no organization formed because students failed to show up for an organization meeting.

TERROISTS KILL 1,084

SINGAPORE—(P)—Communist terrorists have killed 1,084 police and civilians during the past 18 months in Malaya, an official statement said today. Communist losses were put at 1,051, with 988 of them Chinese.

Sea slugs brought \$1,000 a ton at Canton, China, before the war, says the National Geographic Society.

More Deer Hunters Successful In 1949

LANSING—(P)—About six per cent more deer hunters were successful last deer season, a preliminary check of report cards showed.

The conservation department reported that a test run on 36,764 reports indicated 36.6 per cent of the hunters got their deer, a comparable tally of 36,607 cards in January, 1949, showed 30.7 per cent successful hunters.

Through yesterday the department had received 69,355 deer reports compared with 63,544 last year at this time and a final 1948 total of 73,958.

At the same time 48,697 reports had been turned in by small game hunters, a better return than the 29,375 turned in at this time last year.

Both small game and deer hunters are supposed to have the report stubs of their licenses in now. The returns are coming in at the rate of a bushel basket a day.

Wilt Set To Race Don Gehrmann Again

NEW YORK—Fred Wilt indicated today he will race Don Gehrmann in a "runoff" of their split-decision mile if Chicago promoters insist.

The FBI agent intends to write to promoters of the Chicago Daily News indoor meet March 18, advising them of his plans. Gehrmann is listed for the banker's mile.

Gehrmann and Walt breasted the tape together in 4:09.3 to provoke a rhuarb. First Gehrmann got the decision then Wilt. Now an appeal is on the way to the Metropolitan AAU Board of Managers.

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was S/Sgt. Vitale Thippodi of Brooklyn. His condition was reported favorable.

His parachute landed him in a tree on a cliff, where he hung head-downward for 10 hours before Capt. Harold L. Barry, of Hillsboro, Ill., pilot of the ill-fated bomber, and First Lieut. Raymond P. Whitfield Jr., of San Antonio, Tex., cut him down from the tree, brought him to a level spot on the 3,000-foot cliff face, and bedded him down on pine boughs.

Thippodi's foot was caught in a crevice of the cliff in his fall. Both his legs were reported gangrenous.

Maj. Joseph C. Smith, commanding officer of Flight C, Fourth Rescue Squadron, said early today he understood Thippodi had been removed to the Canadian destroyer Cavuga for treatment.

Thippodi wasn't the only crash survivor to have trouble with a tree.

S/Sgt. Dick Thrasher, 29-year-old gunner from Chilton, Tex., told interviewers last night that he landed in a big tree and "had to cut my shroud lines with a knife. I was hanging next to the trunk. After I cut the lines I slid down the trunk and slept until morning."

That night Thrasher, Lt. Col. Daniel V. McDonald of Arlington, Va., an observer but not a crew member; S/Sgt. James Ford, 28, radio operator from Holdenville, Okla., and Lt. Paul Gerhart, 26, radio operator from Germantown, Pa., made a tent out of a parachute and slept there until yesterday morning.

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Enlarged Municipal Forest Suggested

THE Escanaba Daily Press is in receipt of an interesting letter from William Klunder, forestry agent of the Chicago and North Western railway, who offers the worthwhile suggestion that the city of Escanaba utilize its idle acreage for the expansion of its municipal forest.

Klunder points out there are about 4,000 acres on the ore dock project site and other city-owned tracts that could be advantageously planted in trees. He offers the services of the railroad's mechanical planter gratis for the reforestation project.

Klunder believes the municipal forest plan is one that might well receive the attention of Escanaba's service clubs, if the city were unable to wholly finance the forest expansion program. He explains his idea in this way:

"The municipal forest could be mapped with block descriptions. These blocks could be in 25, 50 or 100-acre units. The various service clubs might subscribe to underwrite the planting costs on these units. Units underwritten as such would be known as the Kiwanis Unit, the Rotary Unit, the Lions Unit, etc.

"One club may want to underwrite a certain mileage of service roads. Such roadway could be known as Rotary Drive. Another club may wish to underwrite fire lanes maintenance. Fire lanes might also serve as service roads and be named after the supporting club. No organization would have to subscribe to more than one year's program unless it so desired. The units need not be only endorsed by service clubs, but also might be supported by churches, industries and other agencies."

"It is encouraging to have outside individuals and corporations interested in the future of Escanaba. Here is a community whose economy is closely linked to the forests in its area. A well-organized municipal forest would serve as a model to other communities and also would eventually bring cash dividends to the city of Escanaba."

Veterans Housing Project Waning

THE dismantling of nine of the 26 units in the veterans housing project is indicative of the improved situation in local housing. When the project was first established, all of the 26 units were quickly occupied and there was a waiting list of veterans seeking entrance to the project.

The waiting list has long since vanished and the nine dismantled units have been unoccupied for periods of two months or more. Some of the units have been unoccupied for a number of months. The plan now is to remove the emergency units as rapidly as they become unoccupied inasmuch as the need no longer is acute.

Dismantling the emergency housing units does not mean, of course, that every veteran in Escanaba has housing facilities of the quality that he desires. It does indicate that veterans have been able to secure housing facilities at least equal or better to the accommodations available at the housing project. There are 17 units still occupied and these families will be permitted to remain there as long as the need exists for emergency housing. It should be borne in mind that the veterans project was never designed as a permanent housing program but simply a temporary program to meet a temporary need.

Let's Eradicate The "Litter-Bug"

THE country's big cities have so many worries these days it seems unfair to saddle them with any more. Yet the "litter-bug" is doing just that.

He's the fellow who scatters a trail of waste paper wherever he goes—gum and candy wrappers, old newspapers, package wrappings, and what not. You need no FBI agent to trace his movements along city streets, in stations, buses, trains, parks, or amusement centers.

Periodically, the press in some of these big towns get excited about the matter. Then follows a burst of articles and pictures depicting the indescribable litter. Occasionally a city responds by improving its trash collecting methods but usually the outcome is merely a lightly-given but poorly-kept promise to "do something."

Recently New York City, one of the world's worst sufferers from the litter-bug, decided to try a new angle. It concluded it wasn't being fair to its citizens, that it was not providing enough receptacles for their burdensome trash. So it spotted 4,800 extra wire baskets around a "test area" in midtown Manhattan to see whether people would be inspired to keep house better if they had the chance.

The results haven't been too encouraging. The experiment has been complicated somewhat by the fact that New Yorkers have made off with about 300 of the baskets.

Perhaps all our cities do need more ample facilities for individual trash disposal. But the real difficulty, it seems to us, is that

most urban dwellers don't feel a genuine sense of responsibility toward their city. They just don't care. It never occurs to them that dropping a paper in the street is a selfish, unthinking act that amounts to an affront to other citizens. But that's what it is.

Cities will be really clean when the litter-bug learns to hunt for the trash basket even if it's a block away.

"Blind Alley" GI Training Studied

SINCE this is an election year, it is not likely that congress will make a general overhauling of the regulations governing the GI vocational training program despite the fact that there are admittedly serious abuses of the program. The Veterans Administration itself concedes that racketeering has been prominent in the GI program and that many ill-conceived training schools have sprung up to cash in on the veterans' training program.

The quarrel, of course, is not with those legitimate schools that are doing a worthwhile job of meeting the educational needs of GI's under the servicemen's readjustment program. The difficulty is with the schools that have been set up primarily to reap a harvest from the GI training act. In many cases, these training programs are inadequately administered and poorly equipped. Worst of all, many of these programs do not actually improve a veteran's employment possibilities but simply provide a means by which the veteran may qualify for subsistence allowances at the government's expense. The school, in turn, profits by the tuition fees paid by the government.

The problem is before congress now. President Truman has urged the enactment of curbs on "blind alley" vocational training and a majority of congress undoubtedly is familiar with the need for revision of the statutes. However, as this is a general election year, there is not really much hope that any general revision will be accomplished at this session. There will be a lot of talk but not much action.

Other Editorial Comments

STORIES IN THE SNOW

He who delights in the changing seasons and in the many pictures that Nature paints on the countryside, knows that after each fall of snow there are interesting stories to be read. When a storm ends there is beauty on the hills, silos wear perky white caps and R. F. D. boxes have chic berets. Rail fences are parallel patterns of brown and white and evergreens are dressed in formal evening clothes.

Out in the garden where frost-silvered weeds paint a picture above the white blanket, one can find the tracks of mice where they puttered around at dawn searching for fallen seeds. Near field's edge are the tracks of pheasants where a regal cock led his gun-colored mates along. Go down along the creek and perhaps you will see a muskrat's trail with its peculiarly broad toe tracks and a curving line where the tail swung from side to side. Perhaps you will see a mink track, sharp pointed with the distinct claw prints of the cruel killer.

Down in the swamp are the tracks of the rabbits, two large and two small. From the looks of the mixed-up tracks, the Long Ears had a play spell here; jumping, twisting and turning as they worked off energy. Beneath a group of wild apple trees is an excellent spot to look for snow stories. Here are clear-cut hoof prints of deer where they pawed away the snow to get at the frozen apples beneath. Perhaps a coon came out at dawn if the weather were mild. Part-ridges were budding here this morning and scattered bits of bud scales and bark make a strange, futuristic pattern in the snow. There are tragedies in wildlife—tragedies we call them; but it is all an integral part of that mysterious scheme of things man labels the Balance of Nature. A few scarlet drops of congealed blood and a few tufts of brown-gray fur tell where a red fox caught a rabbit. Go out on the land this month after a new snow and you will see the pictures. There are beautiful, soft shades of color in the whiteness; there are etchings against blue sky. In the snow are the stories that tell us wildlife is still on the move in the heart of winter.—By Haydn Pearson.

Cold weather is sure to lead us into some ticklish business. Putting on the heavies.

Four women had their purses stolen while they were chatting in the front room of one of their homes. That'll take care of the conversation for the next several get-togethers.

Take My Word For It . . . Frank Colby

WORD MEANING QUIZ

Give yourself 10 points for each correct answer. A score of 100 is perfect; 90 is excellent, 80 is very good; 70 is good; 60 is fair; 50 or under is poor.

1. Is it true that a creole is a person of mixed white and Negro blood?
2. The knight got on his horse de combat and rode away. What's wrong with that sentence?
3. Is it true that "wrought" is the past tense of the verb to work?
4. Is it ever correct to refer to the rhinoceros as a pachyderm?
5. "We ate a fine, fulsome dinner." Is the word "fulsome" used correctly?
6. Why is it incorrect to speak of the "Rio Grande River"?
7. A magazine spoke of "the effete yachtmen" of Long Island Sound. Is "effete" the proper word to use?
8. Which is correct, "I seldom ever see her" or "I seldom or ever see her." (Caution.)
9. "Our plant is the largest of any in the state." Right or wrong?
10. They praised the enormity of our sacrifice. Is "enormity" used correctly.

Answers

1. It is not true. A creole is a person,

Parties Raise Campaign Funds

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

WASHINGTON—In cities and towns around the country the Democrats are sitting down in hotel ballrooms to dine on chicken and green peas for which they have paid generously in order to swell the party's treasury. This far-flung Operation Dinner is intended to finance the congressional campaign in the fall.

The amount of money being raised is truly impressive. The climax is here in Washington where 5,200 persons are paying \$100 each for a dinner to be served in the National Guard armory. They also will get a speech by President Truman for their \$100.

At a dinner in Boston a few days ago 1,600 diners paid \$50 each and many were turned away. The attraction there was Vice-President Barkley and Mrs. Barkley. The Barkleys have become the star turn on the Democratic circuit and they are turning down at least 10 engagements for one that they fill. As one ardent Democrat put it:

"The Republicans had to bring in Fred Waring but we've got the Barkleys."

At a dinner in Los Angeles 2,000 guests paid \$50 each and 1,000 sent in their money too late for a place. The speaker was Secretary of Interior Oscar Chapman who is also in demand in various parts of the country.

MONEY SPLIT UP

In smaller communities, too, the money is rolling in. In West Palm Beach, Fla., 600 diners paid \$25 a plate. In some communities a minimum price is set, with checks accepted in any amount above the minimum. Thus, in Minneapolis 1,000 tickets are being sold for a dinner on Saturday at a \$15 minimum.

New York set the pace in mid-December by selling 3,200 tickets to a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria at which 2,800 sat down. Wealthy contributors often buy tickets and then do not bother to go.

The money is customarily divided between the local Democratic organization and the national committee. If the local organization is prosperous, then most of the money is sent to Washington. In the south where the organization has remained loyal to Truman, the custom is to send all the proceeds to the committee after expenses have been deducted.

The Democrats strike a pose of noble self-righteousness about this method of money-raising. They like to contrast it with the Republicans who, say the Democrats, are subsidized by large checks from the fat cats. But we, and the tone is one of pity, must get our contributions from the little fellows.

MANY FAVOR SEEKERS

This has a smattering of truth, but only a smattering. The success of the dinners is a demonstration of the power of a party long entrenched in office. It would be interesting to know how many of the diners are officeholders or the relatives of officeholders. Another category is that of prospective officeholder who turns in his offering in the hope of being rewarded with a job.

But a more important classification is that of favor-taker and favor-seekers. Diners in this class would include contractors with big government contracts. It also would include large corporations with major decisions to come out of government. The front man for the corporation buys 20 seats in his own name, making sure the right people in the party and in government know where that \$200 came from.

Then, too, since the victory of November, 1948, the Democrats have begun to receive direct contributions from businessmen. These have come in some instances from vice-presidents of firms in which the president or chairman of the board gives a larger contribution to the Republicans. There are large interests—a kind of new Wall Street—benefiting from the Truman defense program and from other aspects of government spending.

The Republican line is to talk poor and stress the box supper. It is to play up the \$100-a-plate dinners of the Democrats. In at least one state, New Jersey, the Republicans followed the dinner technique, the GOP diners turning over to National Chairman Guy George Gabrielson a check for \$48,000.

The Republicans are going to have to raise a lot of money somehow. They have set a congressional campaign budget of \$1,900,000. They now have ably staffed senate and house campaign committees in addition to the national committee. That sort of thing calls for hard cash to meet payrolls and other expenses.

The recent GOP policy statement was tailored to the sensitivities and the prejudices of the party's big contributors. If it doesn't please and the checks fail to come in, then the Republicans will have to look for another technique. They, too, may be driven to the kind of mass dining that is so profitable to the Democrats.

usually of French or Spanish ancestry, born in Louisiana, or one of the other Gulf states.

2. Hors de combat means "out of the battle." The sentence is nonsensical. Hors de combat is pronounced: awr duh kaw(n)-BA.
3. It is true. Wrought means "worked," as, wrought iron.
4. Yes; the rhinoceros and the elephant are pachyderms. The word means, "thick-skinned." Pronounce it: PACH-uh-derm.
5. It is incorrect. Fulsome means, "offensive to good taste; disgusting; foul."
6. It is incorrect because Rio in Spanish means "river." One should speak of the stream as the Rio Grande.
7. No. Effete means "exhausted; unable to produce; worn out."
8. Neither. Better say: I seldom see her.
9. Wrong. "Any in the state" includes "our plant." A thing cannot be larger than itself. Better say: Our plant is the largest in the state.
10. No. Enormity means "atrocious; outrageous; heinous."

The Cold War on the Home Front



Good Evening

By Clint Dunathan

GOING TO SCHOOL—Recent announcement that special training classes are to be held for the school bus drivers of Delta county directs attention to an important group of public servants.

"The bus driver is the most important non-teaching employee in a school system where school bus transportation is provided," according to Doris Stack, chief of organization and transportation for the Michigan department of public instruction.

There are about 35 school bus drivers in Delta county, and about 93,000 in the nation. Last year these buses, in total, traveled a distance of more than three million miles per day.

The training of these drivers is a periodic experience designed to better fit them for the important job they have. It does not mean they are inexperienced; it does provide training that makes them more experienced.

WALK OR RIDE—In an earlier day it was not uncommon for children to walk four or five miles or more to reach school and return to their homes. Neither parents nor children considered this unusual.

During periods of storm the children stayed home. Attendance was not too important. The teacher might have a full class one day, a handful of students the next.

The desire of the parents to provide better schooling for their children brought about the program of student transportation. The family owned an automobile, the highways were kept open in winter, and there was no reason why buses could not be operated satisfactorily.

HORSE TO MOTOR—In a few Michigan communities the horse-drawn bus was used before motor buses came into being.

In Stephenson township, Menominee county, back in 1901 the parents were already providing school bus pulled by horses. In spring and fall the bus was equipped with wheels; in wintertime it was a sleigh. Considered an innovation in its day, there were folks 49 years ago in Stephenson who probably shook their heads and said, "What's the world coming to? We used to walk to school when we were children."

About 1920 there began a program of highway plowing in the wintertime. Roads were kept open for auto traffic. The motor school bus was a natural development that extended the benefits of student transportation.

THE BUS DRIVER—Today, as in 1901, the driver of the school bus has a number of problems confronting him.

Not the least of these is discipline. The combination of operating the bus and keeping 35 to 40 rambunctious children under reasonable control is sometimes a strain, although the bus students are thoroughly briefed on the rules of behavior and safety.

The bus driver's job is one of constant alertness. This applies not only while the bus is in motion, but also when it halts to take on or discharge students.

He must be resourceful as well, for emergencies do arise. In winter storms he is often called on to make a hurried off-schedule trip to return the children to their

INTO THE PAST

Ten Years Ago

Escanaba—William Pratt, who was recently appointed recreation leader, will start teaching tap dancing at the recreation center next week.

Escanaba—Miss Martha Spaeth has returned from a two-month visit in Florida.

Gladstone—Miss Marie Shandony was crowned Gladstone winter queen last night and Tallie Poquette was crowned winter king.

Manistique—City Manager P. H. Beauvais and Councilman Victor Schuster have returned from Lansing where they attended a dinner in honor of Col. E. C. Harrington, federal commissioner of the WPA.

Twenty Years Ago

Escanaba—The Swallow bi-plane of the U. P. Airways Inc., was heavily damaged yesterday when it crashed into a barn at the William Van Enkevort farm at Ford River. The pilot, Fred Sensiba, escaped without injury.

Gladstone—Betty Schwann was elected president, Jim Colenso, vice president and Doris Vrooman secretary-treasurer, of the junior choir of the First Methodist Episcopal Memorial church last night.

Manistique—Harold Cockram Jr., entertained members of the Lakeside school basketball team at a dinner Saturday. Guests were Charles Conrie, Robert Ekdahl, Billy Raredon, Kenneth Hamhill and Teddy Hupfer.

We want to preserve the peace of the world and the hydrogen bomb will serve that cause just as the atomic bomb has done since it ended the war and gave us peace.—Chairman Tom Connally, Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

homes before roads are blocked by drifts.

Another example of emergency was that encountered recently by Louis Viau of Escanaba Rt. 1, driver of the Wells township school bus. At the top of Soo Hill the bus came up to an accident scene where two cars were in the ditch and four persons were injured. Viau promptly took the injured in the bus and transported them to St. Francis hospital.

CONSOLIDATED—Growing transportation of students by bus has made it possible to consolidate school districts and provide improved educational facilities. A local example is the Rapid River Agricultural school district, consolidating the Masonville, Bay de Noc and Ensign township districts. Another is the Bark River-Harris district. Even without consolidation, however, the school bus has become an integral part of the modern rural school system.

FOR SAFETY—Every effort is being made to improve the quality, efficiency, and safety of school bus service.

The Michigan State Police are inspecting school buses for the third successive year. All school buses considered unserviceable are required to be repaired immediately or taken out of service. School officials cooperate in this program, for they recognize—as well as the parents—the need for safety for the children.

School officials also cooperate in the bus driver training program and approve payment of a nominal charge for the attendance of the drivers from their districts. Nothing is overlooked to make the school bus—largest transportation carrier in the world—also the safest carrier in the world.

Public Forum

Be brief. Avoid personalities. Pen names are permissible, but sign your real name and address to all letters. Help keep your community on its toes.

Hidden Taxes

Dear Editor:

In an editorial called "Those Hidden Taxes," the New York Herald Tribune observes, "The citizen who grins and bears it each week when he takes note of deductions from his take home pay, or who gulps when he makes the quarterly payment on his income tax, has perhaps mercifully been spared a consciousness of the hidden taxes which fall upon him every day. The problem of tax reform, however, requires knowledge on the part of the citizens. It is to the advantage of the individual that he sees through the tax smokescreen which the experts have laid down—that he feel the pain of what has been devised to be painless."

The Herald-Tribune ran a series of factual articles, by Robert S. Bird, dealing with the impact of hidden taxes on the ordinary taxpayer. It is a sure bet that not one citizen in ten thousand has any accurate idea of how deep these taxes cut into his earnings. For instance, on a \$10,000 house it was found that no less than 639 hidden taxes were involved in the construction, development of site, and purchase financing. These taxes, Mr. Bird says, were collected by the federal and state governments from the architect, builder, banks, agents, insurance companies, contractor, manufacturers, jobbers and others.

Hidden taxes are not confined to big purchases like a house. The Tax Foundation found that 151 taxes applied to a loaf of bread. A woman's spring hat carried 150 taxes. A man's suit came in for 116. A humble egg accounted for 100. Mr. Bird writes: "In none of these studies were local taxes taken into account, nor the federal and state levies on the various steps behind the supply and manufacturing point. As an example of how common the tax-shifting devices work, the economists found that even the length of time an article remains in stock sometimes determines who bears the weight of a particular tax."

No one knows the actual total of hidden taxes. Estimates indicate they may run as high as \$700 per family per year. And, of course, they come on top of all direct taxes. The magnitude of the latter is shown by the fact that in 1949 the average taxpayer worked one month for the federal government to pay the federal income tax alone.

The federal government is the biggest tax eater by far. It takes 71 cents of each tax dollar, while the states take 15 cents and local units 14 cents. By contrast, in 1932, the federal government took but 22 per cent and in 1939, 39 per cent.

—A TAXPAYER.

So They Say

The president's decision has placed us on a knife-edge of history. With almost equal ease, we could fall either into mass destruction or into a condition of active peace instead of our present condition of inactive war.—Rep. Henry M. Jackson (D) Washington, on development of H-bomb.

Experience in modern world affairs has shown that a strong, virile industry is indispensable to national survival, and national survival is item number one in the book of security.—Benjamin Fairless, president, U. S. Steel.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — The big Democratic dinner in Washington tonight contracts sharply with the Republican box supper



PEARSON

ten days ago. It will be the biggest banquet in the history of the world—even bigger than the banquet once given by Julius Caesar. If the Democrats are smart, however, the contrasts will be a red flag of warning.

The Democratic dinner costs \$100 per plate—not a bad idea to raise political money. But what's happening is that the fat-cats who once backed up the Republicans now flock to the Democrats, for a very simple reason: The Democrats have power.

In other words, included among the guests tonight will be a few who have income-tax cases to fix, who want to get a government contract, who seek to influence White House policy or are angling for an airline franchise. Two tables seating ten guests each cost \$2,000—and sometimes the investment is worth it.

It used to be that the big-money boys flocked to the Republicans, but—except for the very faithful—a lot are now switching to the Democrats. This doesn't mean that they are really for Truman. They just think it pays.

But the danger to the Democrats is that when any party gets indebted to too many fat-cats, it starts riding for a fall. Likewise when the Republicans really draw support from the \$1 box-supper class, it will start riding to victory. Only trouble with the recent GOP box supper was that it was superficial. The boys didn't really relish it.

DEMOCRATIC FAT-CAT

Illustration of how Democratic dinners may be mixed with big business was the contribution of popular Bill Pawley, ex-ambassador to Brazil, to the December 2 New York dinner. At that dinner, Pawley took four tables: Cost: \$4,000.

Pawley, a great friend of Bob Hannegan, made a big killing after the war when he bought surplus planes from the British in China, turned around and sold them to the Chinese. Since Pawley made the deal outside the U. S. A., it was tax free—so he raked in a handsome profit.

More recently, Pawley has been pulling wires to help the Nationalist Chinese to whom he sold these planes. A good Democrat, high in party councils, his expensive four tables at the Waldorf dinner may have had no business motive. And it should be noted in fairness that if Pawley tried to use political influence with Truman and Acheson re China, it didn't work.

MIRACLE-MAN SONNENBERG

When Charles Luckman, the deposed czar of Lever Brothers' soap empire, raps the gavel at the big Democratic dinner tonight, it will be a triumph for a roly-poly little man with a high-buttoned coat sitting in the audience.

He is public relations expert Ben Sonnenberg, who has achieved a public-relations miracle by having two of his proteges chairman the two big Democratic dinners. In fact, it's got so that when the Democrats hold a dinner they figure on "Menus by Oscar" and "Chairmen by Sonnenberg."

The last New York dinner, which netted the Democrats more than \$250,000, was presided over by earthy Tom Morgan, the North Carolina boy who rose to be head of Sperry Gyroscope and who, like Luckman, is a client of Sonnenberg's.

To understand how the amazing Mr. Sonnenberg was able to perform this miracle of putting his clients in front of the speakers' stand twice in a row, you have to understand the gentleman himself. And even his wife says that is difficult.

Coming to this country from Poland as a boy, Ben never has forgotten his humble beginnings, reminds his friends that his grandfather was a rabbi and his father a pushcart peddler.

Ben represents some of the biggest corporations in the country—Texas Oil, J. S. Bache of Wall Street, Remington - Rand, Philip Morris and Lever Brothers. But he has a heart of gold and never is too busy to help out the nonpaying little fellow.

Though he takes good care of his clients, he is brutally frank in talking about himself, and once explained his high stiff collar and tight-fitting coat this way: "I chose my clothes because I knew that wherever I went, people would say, 'Who in God's name is that?'"

"I don't care what they say about me," adds Sonnenberg, "just so they remember me." It isn't the clothes that make the man, however. It's the fact that he delivers.

NEW DEMOCRATIC SENATOR

A quarrel over the gravy train is about all that's holding up the adding of a new senator to the Democratic party.

Lusty "Wild Bill" Langer, one of the few, old-time Bull Moosers left in politics, is planning to pull up stakes and leave the Republican party. The only hitch is that Dave Kelly, the North Dakota Democratic national committeeman, does not want to split the Democratic patronage with Senator Langer. Hitherto he has had the distribution of all Democratic jobs in North Dakota.

Langer, the senator with the long stride, bull voice and habit of chewing cellophane-wrapped cigars, proudly lists his bolts to Robert La Follette and Hiram Johnson when they ran for president.

Today the senator is virtually independent of the GOP, because the non-partisan league which controls North Dakota politics is solidly pro-Langer.

Another factor which makes Langer lean towards the Democrats is the revolt against Republican farm politics now spreading across the Dakotas. When the GOP policy statement was issued with such fanfare in Washington, a South Dakota dirt farmer, Axel Beck, pleaded with National Chairman Guy Gabrielson to let real-for-sure farmers draft a positive agricultural program. But Beck was given the brushoff.

TRAVESTY ON JUSTICE

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

By AP Newsfeatures

HAROLD RAYMOND MEDINA, born Feb. 16, 1888 in Brooklyn, son of an ex-convict, Federal district judge in New York, he presided over the year-long trial of 11 Communists and won the distinction of "Man of the Year" for 1949 from editors of Associated Press newspapers.



HAROLD R. MEDINA

Movie Awards About Settled

'All The King's Men' Holds Top Rating

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD—(P)—Broderick Crawford, Olivia de Havilland and "All The King's Men" took top contention as the Academy award race entered the stretch.

Nominations for the motion picture academy's 1949 awards were announced Tuesday night. They contained few surprises and reflected Hollywood's current tussle with social problems and war themes.

Crawford's portrait of a demagogue in "All The King's Men" has been the most touted in the male division. Also nominated were Kirk Douglas in "Champion," Gregory Peck in "Twelve O'Clock High," Richard Todd in "The Heart," and John Wayne in "Sands of Iwo Jima."

Miss De Havilland has been named the favorite among the actresses for her performance as the love-starved Victorian in "The Heiress." Her competition: Jeanne Crain in "Pinky," Susan Hayward in "My Foolish Heart," Deborah Kerr in "Edward, My Son," and Toretta Young in "Come to the Stable."

Mentioned for best picture award were: "All The King's Men," "Battleground," "The Heiress," "A Letter to Three Wives," and "Twelve O'Clock High."

Although "The Heiress" was named in eight categories compared to seven for "All The King's Men," the latter drew more important nominations. The political film may well be the sweeping victor when the final awards are announced March 23.

The nominations were made by about 10,850 workers in the motion picture industry. Final awards are voted by the 1,900 members of the academy.

Other major nominations included: Supporting actors—John Ireland in "All The King's Men," Dean Jagger in "Twelve O'Clock High," Arthur Kennedy in "Champion," Ralph Richardson in "The Heiress," and James Whitmore in "Battleground."

Supporting actresses—Ethel Barrymore in "Pinky," Celeste Holm in "Come to the Stable," Elsa Lancaster in "Come to the Stable," Mercedes McCambridge in "All The King's Men," Ethel Waters in "Pinky."

Direction—Robert Kosen for "All The King's Men," William A. Wellman for "Battleground," Carol Reed for "The Fallen Idol," William Wyler for "The Heiress," and Joseph L. Mankiewicz for "A Letter to Three Wives."

The nominees ran according to form except for Miss Young and Wayne. They were little mentioned among probable contenders. Another surprise was the failure of James Stewart to make the list for his performance in "The Stratton Story."

The beleaguered British film industry will find little comfort in the selections. "The Fallen Idol" was the only English film in the more important nominations.

Added foreign note: Among the nominees for writing awards was Roberto Rossellini, chosen for his work (with four others) on "Paisan."

Perkins P-T-A Meets Monday

PERKINS—The Perkins Parent-Teacher association will hold a regular meeting Monday night, February 20, at 8 at the school. Members are asked to note the change in time. An important business discussion will be followed by an interesting program.

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Millions Given Away By Samuel S. Fels

By RUSSELL LANDSTROM

PHILADELPHIA—(P)—Samuel S. Fels, who made one of the great American fortunes and gave much of it away, turned a brisk 90 today—sure of a happier future for a distracted world.

Fels, a small, unassuming man, amassed his millions in soap, but his horizons have not been limited to his business, worthy as he thinks it. Over many years he has spent staggering sums on wide-ranging philanthropies. Some say he has donated at least \$40,000,000.

A widower with no children, Fels planned to observe the day simply, putting in his usual stint at the office—10 a. m. until late afternoon. Lunch with a few old cronies was to provide the lone festive touch.

For three generations head of the Naphtha Soap company that bears his name, Fels quit school at 16 and went to work, helping develop a soap formula first tried in the family kitchen. His formal education thus abruptly cut short, young Samuel started studying on his own. He has never stopped.

He disclaims his reputation as philanthropist and philosopher. Yet he is both.

"Whatever may appear to the contrary," he said in a birthday interview, "humanity is on the road to better things. I have never known a time when there was not trouble. Times now are no worse than they ever were. So I don't worry too much about atom and hydrogen bombs. I think the human family is growing in intelligence, and I think nature has a great purpose in view for us."

"Democracy," he continued, "is truly the cause of mankind. Russian Communism, being founded on an immoral base, will eventually fall of its own evil weight—provided we and the other democratic nations stay alert and well armed."

Pfc. Paul Johnson Of Rock In Japan

With the Eighth Army in Chitose, Hokkaido, Japan—Private First Class Paul E. Johnson, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Johnson of Rock, Michigan, is assigned to Battery "B" 31st Field Artillery Battalion of the 7th Infantry Division. Pfc. Johnson entered the army on the 2nd of Feb. 1949, at Escanaba, Michigan, and took his initial training at Camp Breckinridge, Kentucky. Upon completion of his

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By Dick Turner



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Get Wised Up On Income Tax

Editor's Note: This is the sixth of 12 stories explaining who must do what and how about 1949 income tax return.

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON—(P)—If you're married, remember the present law gives married couples a break on their 1949 income tax.

It allows them—but only if they file a joint return—to split their income, each claiming half of it, even though one of them had no income at all.

This split throws each half of the income into a lower tax bracket than the total income would have been in if it had been left unsplit.

Never in any case will married couples lose money by filing a joint return when one of them had no income. In most cases it will save them money, and—

In most cases where both had income they will save money by filing a joint return. Nevertheless, you can suit yourself whether you

file separately or jointly.

Wife Files Jointly

Remember: If your wife had no income and was not a dependent of some other taxpayer, you get a \$600 exemption for her on your return, whether or not she files jointly with you.

Of course, a wife with no income doesn't have to file anything. But it would be absurd for a wife with no income to fail to file jointly with her husband, since unless both filed they couldn't split the income.

But—and this is extremely important—if your wife had income, no matter how tiny, you can get that \$600 exemption for her unless she files jointly with you.

If she had income that was less than \$600, she doesn't have to file a return at all, since no one with less than \$600 is compelled to file a return. However, she ought to file a joint return with her husband so he can use her exemption.

If she doesn't she will throw away part of her exemption—the difference between her income and \$600.

If her income was \$600 or more and she files a separate return, then she claims her own \$600 exemption, the same \$600 exemption allowed to everyone filing a return.

This means, then, that since she's getting a \$600 exemption for herself on her return, you can

claim only your own \$600 exemption on your return.

If both of you had income—or one didn't have any—and you file a joint return, then each of you on that joint return gets a \$600 exemption, or a total of \$1,000 in exemptions.

Both Must Sign

Remember: In all cases where husband and wife file a joint return both must sign it.

And keep this in mind: If you were married as late in 1949 as Dec. 31 you can file a joint return on your income for all of 1949, thus getting the benefit of the lower split income tax on married couples.

Couples divorced or legally separated any time in 1949—even as late as Dec. 31—must file separate returns for the year. Each then gets one exemption, his own. And—

Even if a husband paid all the support of a divorced or legally separated wife he can't get an exemption for her.

What of husbands and wives living apart by Dec. 31, 1949 but not divorced or legally separated during that year? They can file a joint return.

But if you're puzzled about this question—"Can I deduct for alimony?"—the answer is yes if it is paid under a court order and is paid in regular installments.

If your wife or husband died

Relief Officials Will Discuss New Rules

MARQUETTE, Mich.—Basic standards of eligibility for direct relief will be discussed at a meeting of Upper Peninsula district No. 10, state association of county social welfare boards, in Marquette Friday afternoon, Feb. 17.

The program adopted recently

during the year, you are considered married for the whole year. Therefore, even though your partner is dead, you can file a joint return, getting the benefit of the full exemptions and the split income to lower your tax.

by the state association and submitted to the governor's welfare committee will be discussed at the gathering. Representatives of the state welfare commission who will attend are John Gambotto, chief auditor, and Sylvester Vaughan and Miss Viola Olson, area representatives.

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Truman Loses Faith In Soviet Promises But Still Has Hope

NEW YORK—(AP)—President Truman was reported by the New York Times as saying he has lost faith in Russian promises but still is hopeful about the future.

The president's views were outlined in an interview obtained by Arthur Krock, Times Washington correspondent.

Time and place of the interview, which touched on a wide range of topics, were not disclosed.

Krock, in a dispatch from Washington, said the president told him:

He no longer has any hope that the Soviet union will keep any agreements with the United States which it now would be good policy to seek.

When the Russians blocked east-west trade, he began to lose hope that the good peace prospects apparent at the founding of the United Nations would survive.

The last vestige of hope vanished when he learned that the Russians were hiding from their people the facts about the war assistance which had been given them.

The real trouble with the Russians is that they are still suffer-

ing from a complex of fear and inferiority where we are concerned, Mr. Truman was quoted as saying.

Krock reported the president said he wanted to send Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson to Moscow in 1948 to try to straighten out Stalin and the other Russian leaders on this and on our real intentions, but that he did not do so because a presidential campaign was on at the time.

Maybe that will be the thing to do some time, Krock said. Mr. Truman added, but in nothing must we show any sign of weakness because there is none in our attitude.

On other subjects, the president is reported to have said:

1. He does not agree that the fair employment practice legislation he proposes would deprive employers of the right to run their own business, and he would not support such legislation if it would have that result.

2. He still thinks the House un-American activities committee's handling of the Alger Hiss case was a red herring to distract public attention from the blunders of the 80th congress.

3. He hates deficit spending, and there would be no deficit in the present administration budget today had not the Republican 80th congress cut income taxes.

Krock reported the president said that the agreement the Russians made at Yalta to enter the war against Japan was the only one they ever kept out of nearly 40.

Rapid River Man At VA Hospital

Belland Named Chief Engineer At Iron Mt.

L. W. Belland, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Belland of Rapid River, has assumed his duties as chief of the engineering division at the new Veterans' hospital at Iron Mountain. Mr. Belland transferred from the 1200-bed hospital at Dearborn.

Following his education in civil engineering at Michigan College of Mining and Technology in 1934, Mr. Belland was employed by the Michigan state highway department and in 1935 accepted an appointment with the Corps of Engineers. He worked on various flood control projects on the Missouri and Ohio rivers, on the Passamaquoddy tidal power project and the hydraulic design of John Martin dam in Colorado. From 1939 to 1942 Mr. Belland worked in the Canal Zone as chief draftsman for the special engineering division and was also structural engineer with the TVA on the Fontana Dam project.

In August 1942, Mr. Belland was called to active duty and served with the Corps of Engineers overseas as post engineer and staff engineer in Iran and China and other sections of the European and Middle East theaters.

Since March 1946, Mr. Belland has been with the Veterans Administration in Denver, Colorado, and during that time has had the responsibility of structural design of hospitals, sewage disposal plants and other related buildings in the Rocky Mountain area.

Mrs. Belland, formerly Miss Margaret Gravelle of Rapid River, and their children, Michael and Mary Ellen, have joined Mr. Belland and they will occupy an apartment at the hospital.

Secret Skysweeper Anti-Aircraft Gun Has Supersonic Range

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The army has asked for \$4,518,500 to continue tests of the "Skysweeper," a top-secret anti-aircraft gun which it says can hit planes of supersonic speed (faster than sound) either night or day.

Secretary of the Army Gray described the weapon as "our best answer to date for the threat posed by aircraft at short and medium ranges."

These disclosures were part of a report made public of hearings before a house military appropriations subcommittee, on the army's request for \$4,018,384,000 of the \$13,000,000,000 the defense department has asked for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Range and firing speed of the 75-millimeter Skysweeper were not revealed. Its primary new features are said to be radar-directed fire-control and proximity fused ammunition.

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Royal Red Sour Pitted **Cherries** No. 2 can **25¢**

Hershey's Choc. **Dainties** 2 6 oz. cello pkgs. **37¢**

Johnston's New 4 in 1 Superfine **Saltines** 1 lb. pkg. **27¢**

Land o' Lakes **Milk** tall can **11¢**

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Gold Spun **Egg Noodles** 12 oz. pkg. **19¢**

Recipe Fancy **Pink Salmon** 1 lb. tall can **41¢**

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Popular Brands of **Cigarettes** cartons **1.75**

Hart Cream Golden **Corn** 3 No. 303 cans **29¢**

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Stokely's Citrus Blend **Juice** 46 oz. can **39¢**

All Sweet **Margarine** 1 lb. pkg. **27¢**

J. of Arc Fey. **Kidney Beans** 2 No. 2 cans **29¢**

Brookfield Amer. **Cheese Food** 2 lb. pkgs. **69¢**

Italian Dinner Long **Spaghetti** 1 lb. pkg. **15¢**

Hunt's **Tomato Sauce** 3 8 oz. cans **21¢**

Campbell's **Vegetable Soup** No. 1 can **13¢**

Campbell's Chicken-Noodle **Soup** 2 No. 1 cans **33¢**

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Acadia Fey Whole **Codfish** 1 lb. pkg. **49¢**

Charmin **Toilet Tissue** 4 rolls **31¢**

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Captain Brown Is All Through

Grounding Of 'Mo' Won't Be Excused

By ROBERT C. RUARK
NEW YORK—Captain William D. (Mudbank) Brown has been relieved of command of the mighty Mo, or Schmo, pending investigation of a naval court of inquiry. This inquisition ostensibly would like to know how come the good captain ran this vast vessel onto the beach in or about Hampton Roads, Va., a wet fairway so free of obstacle that I even was able to steer a ship down its keel-worn thoroughfare, once upon a time. The investigation, according to naval tradition, will surely find the captain guilty of *frammis* on the *afterkelter*, with overtones of *magnavox*, which is Latin for an old naval phrase meaning: We don't pay our bigger brass to run no big ships on no shoals.

He's Finished
I will bet you my European theater ribbon, which I got from a displaced wave for a pack of Chesterfields, that this poor fellow Brown is as good a skipper as you are apt to produce in the factory, but he is a finished fellow in his business. Not that there'll be a court-martial, after the board of inquiry gets up off its dead deduction.

As a former member (ringless) of Capt. Brown's profession, I feel real sorry for him, for he is a victim of statistics. Every so often the fates force a large naval craft upon the rocks, or the mud, or the beach. And every so often the navy sinks the officer-in-charge, if only as a moral lesson for all the little embryo ensigns who are fed a daily diet of rocks and shoals.

The eclipse of Capt. Brown's career—and I speak of this coldly, as if it were an accomplished fact—is the product of a way of thinking that has bred good officers for generations. It is the naval business of placing the full responsibility of the operation of a ship on the back of the man who has been paid the compliment of flaunting the prestige of that ship for his very own.

The navy says now that it is fair and proper that the people involved in the grounding of the mighty Schmo should not be harassed with the running of the bloated boat while they defend themselves before the judge advocate. That is formal talk, only. A guy who shoves his ship on the ground starts to scrape the bird off his hat before she even settles down, because he knows he's had it.

I say again that there probably isn't a better four-striper about than this poor Brown, and I bet he could help us win a war, and I still know he's through. The fact that Brown is secured from an active career will be an object lesson for scores of thousands of fledgling captains.

A Good System
The navy doesn't care, and



NOVEL SLEIGH—Mr. and Mrs. Millard Howard of Trowbridge Park, Marquette, Mich., with the contraption they have rigged up on a sleigh to take trips with Jimmy and Barbara (in sleigh). Canvas top works on a hinge arrangement to keep out snow and wind, while the enclosure is heated with two hot flatirons in the box. (AP Photo)

neither should you, about the extenuating circumstances of the pile-up. A four-ring skipper with the debris on his cap is not paid to pile up ships. The taxpayers sent him through school, and they festoon him with medals during a war, and they guarantee him a pretty fat retirement. In return for this he is not supposed to go around dunking the bottoms of battleships in the mudbanks of the best-charted roads in the world. They ask the navigator to watch some questions, and they will grill the O. O. D. and the quartermaster, and the lookouts, too. But it doesn't matter if they were all drunk on their jobs, which I'm sure they weren't. The old man takes the kicking, and it is just.

It is a good system, because the reason the old man is the old man is because he is thought to be capable of administering a ship. An old man who allows his subordinates to slough a battlegroup on the mud in Hampton Roads has not earned his retroactive pay.

Nahma
Mrs. Carl Jackson of Chicago is visiting here with Mrs. Andrew Hendrickson.

Garfield Ranguette of Escanaba spent the weekend here visiting at the Eli Bedard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Neils Plude left last week for Elgin, Ill. where they will visit with relatives while Mr. Plude receives medical attention.

Mrs. Harry Lindberg of Chicago spent the weekend here at the Allen Mercier home. On her return she was accompanied by Frances

Hermansville

HERMANVILLE, Mich.—Miss Elaine Grenier and Miss Patricia Ryan spent the weekend in Calumet.

George Maule of South Milwaukee spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Clarinda Maule.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Anderson of Escanaba spent Sunday at the Arthur Faccio home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Laduron and son, Kurt, of Menominee spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enrico Faccio.

Mr. Dominic Parlatto of Norway visited Monday at the John St. Juliana and Michael Povolo homes.

Angelo Maule returned from Chicago where he spent the past month visiting relatives.

Leno Pieropon returned to Ann Arbor after spending the past few weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giralamo Pieropon.

Quido Stockero of Stambaugh visited Sunday at the Guerinio Marana and Emil Stockero home.

Recent visitors at the Lucien Plunger home included: Mr. and Mrs. Hubert DeGrave of Jam Dam, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kerjeski of Crystal Falls, Eli Berro of Iron Mountain, and Mr. and Mrs. Eljer De Pas and daughter, of Gourley.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Machalk left Tuesday morning for Milwaukee where they will visit relatives.

Rio De Janeiro, in English, means River of January.

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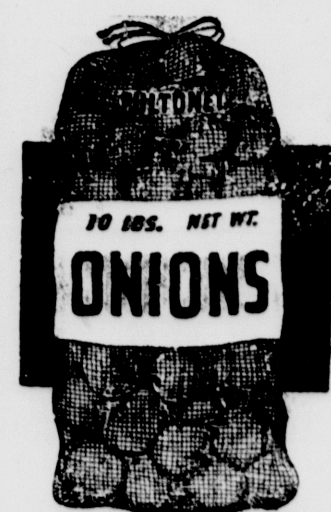
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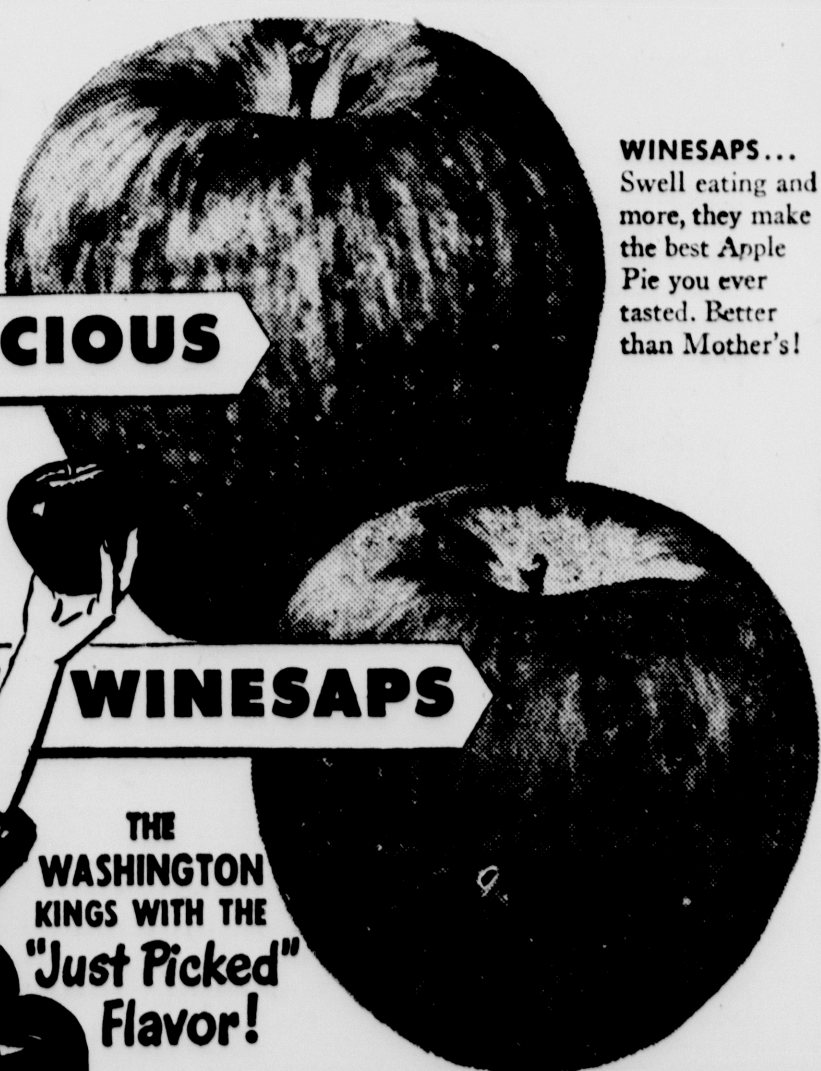
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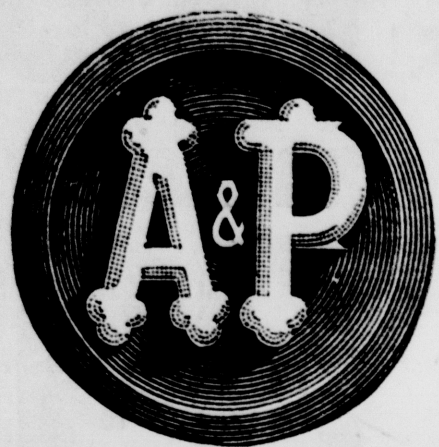
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You Can't Sell Those Rainy Days

By HAL BOYLE

Baltimore—(AP)—The traveling salesman stood at his hotel window and looked at Baltimore in the rain.

"Why is it all cities look alike in the rain?" he thought. "Look out at any city when it rains and where are you—Baltimore? St. Louis? Milwaukee? Boston? Denver? Munich? Or London? They are all the same."

He glanced at the wet street, where the water had collected in pools, making a sodden rosary.

"And the people," he thought, "they all look the same. Rain does it to them, too."

The salesman went back and scribbled a note to his boss.

"Old Cradge is still with us, Bob," he wrote. "He gave me a lot of trouble, but he finally ended up by giving us his usual order. So I guess we won't have to close the plant yet. Things are going so well, I think I'll make the other two stops you mentioned before I pull back in."

That would make his home office happy, he knew. But about that other thing—the letter from his wife. The salesman moodily pulled it from his pocket and read it again:

"John, I can't take much more of this—your going away all the time. It was hard enough to stand while the children were young. But since they are going, I just get so lonely I can't go on this way..."

The salesman lit a cigar and went restlessly to the window and looked out at the rain for a while. Then he came back and read some more from the letter:

"You keep saying I'm your whole life now, but I think your job is your whole life, and always has been. You knew our anniversary was coming up, and how I feel about anniversaries. But when Bob said he didn't want to send a younger man on this trip because it was too important, you agreed right away to go. You always do..."

The salesman puffed his cigar... and read on:

"It's no excuse for you to say you have to earn all the money you can now, so you can quit work early and we can enjoy life. I want to live my life now, not when I am an old woman. Just remember that..."

Send Some Flowers

He put away the letter and picked up the phone. Better send along some flowers, he thought.

"Yes, a dozen—the long-stemmed ones," he said. "And a card, saying 'Happy anniversary from the heart away to the heart at home. See you in three days.'"

He hung up the phone and thought, "Maybe that'll sound too mushy to her. You never can tell what they'll think. But if I'd just said, 'Happy anniversary, love—well, she might...'"

The salesman left the thought unfinished. He looked out the window again.

"Rainy days, rainy days," he mused. "Thank God, I don't have to try to sell rainy days to people."

Across the way, in the cornice of a weathered building, he saw two pigeons huddled, feather to feather, out of rain's reach.

"I wonder," he thought, "if homing pigeons still have to go on delivering messages after they've finished raising their young?"

The salesman turned away.

"I'll bet if they do, their wives don't understand why," he said out loud.

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Munising News

MUNISING CHURCHES

Munising Baptist—Sunday school 10 a. m. Worship service 11 a. m. Evening service 7:30. Mid-week service and Junior K. Y. B. class Wednesday, 7:20. Ladies' Missionary Fellowship at home of Mrs. J. H. Johnson Thursday, 7:00.—H. Brower, pastor.

Limestone Baptist—Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Worship service 3:30.—H. Brower, pastor.

Mrs. Leo St. Martin left Wednesday for South Milwaukee to visit with her sister, Mrs. Clifford Liegeois.

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HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



"UNDER THE SPREADING CHESTNUT TREE..." In the fiftieth year of this automobile century, the village blacksmith still holds forth. You will find him near the race track, in the rural communities, and occasionally even in the big city. The village smith was, and probably still is, the most rugged of free enterprisers. In his unfloored shop there is the clang of hammer on anvil, the wheezing of the hand bellows and the roar of the coal fire, the acrid smell of burning hoof, the hissing of cold water when a red-hot horseshoe is plunged into it. The brawny blacksmith—not so numerous as he once was; perhaps not quite so prosperous as his dad and granddad who did their smithing in the very same shop—is still a nostalgic part of the American hometown scene.

Prison Conservation Camps In Michigan Are Model For Ohio

LANSING — (AP)—Corrections Commissioner Arthur Glatke of Ohio will travel to Michigan within the next two weeks to study this state's nation-leading prison conservation camp program.

In a letter to Michigan Corrections Commissioner Earnest C. Brooks, Glatke said he would bring a prison warden and an official of the Ohio Welfare department.

This will be the second out-of-state delegation to look over the system within two weeks. Officials of the U. S. Forest Service toured the camps with an eye to adapting the system to assisting in reforestation work in federal forests.

Rapid River

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Talvite and Cheryl, Mrs. Maria Mattson and Mr. and Mrs. August Karasti and Joanne spent Sunday at the Sofia Ahola home at Trenary.

The National Geographic Society says dried sea slugs are one of the chief exports of Port Moresby, New Guinea.

The system, now in its second full year in Michigan, is a cooperative project between the corrections and conservation departments. Trusty prisoners are housed in camps within state parks and recreation areas. They are kept busy at beach cleaning and building, road building, construction work, and the like. Conservation work is done at a fraction of the cost with free labor.

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Trenary

Injured On Sleighride

TRENARY—Mrs. Ivah Richmond is recuperating at her home from a bruised leg the result of an accident during the Methodist Ladies' Aid sleighride party Sunday. The party was on a narrow woods road on the way to Peterson's choppings when the sleigh swerved into a tree at a turn in the road.

Card Party Monday

The Traunik hot lunch committee is sponsoring another of its popular card parties at the Traunik school Monday evening, February 20, at 7:45. Smear, five hundred and pedro will be played with high score awards and lunch will be served.

Personals

Elof Josephson went to Gladstone Monday for medical treatment.

William Quarfoot attended a meeting of the board of supervisors in Munising Tuesday.

Russell Viton motored to Escanaba Monday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Nestor Orava was admitted to Brasier hospital Tuesday morning suffering from pleurisy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cisco attended an auction sale near Escanaba Tuesday. Mrs. Robert Richmond took care of their three small children during the day.

Engadine

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hillman and son, Johnny, and Louis Proton of Marlette returned home Tuesday after spending the weekend at the Louis Proton home.

Donald Sulcer returned to his work at Lansing Friday accompanied by his sister-in-law, Dolores Ozonich who will visit at the Sulcer home.

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A Durable American Starch Stiffens Paris Designs



By Espie Kinard.
New York (NEA)—American starch gives a hand to Paris fashions. It puts crispness into the white lingerie touches which dramatize the two black dresses of Pierre

Balmain's design, shown above. The black satin coat dress (left) is frosted with a white pique necktie and the largest cuffs on fashion's record. The Elizabethan ruff and half sleeves (right) of Schiffler embroidered organdy make drama

of a simply-styled black dress. During his recent visit to the United States, Paris designer Pierre Balmain was so impressed with the staying qualities of permastarch that he ordered a supply of it for use in his midwinter

collection. The starch has a plastic adhesiveness which goes into the threads of cotton or linen fabric and stays through repeated washings. Because it eliminates the need for frequent starch renewal, its use prolongs the life of a fabric.

"Stromboli" Is Disappointment To Movie Critics

By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD—Hollywood critics generally agreed today that the picture "Stromboli" is not as good as the story behind its filming.

The most publicized picture of all time was previewed yesterday and a cross-section of reviewers' opinions indicates that it was a disappointment.

"I suffer, believe me!" says the star, Ingrid Bergman, at one point in the picture. That she does. For 81 minutes of the film's length she is made miserable. Her simple-minded husband (Mario Vitale) slaps her, the villagers ignore her and the bleak volcanic island depresses her.

All this makes for a picture that is grimmer than American audiences prefer. Another drawback is a confusion of the Italian and English tongues, which makes dialogue unintelligible in spots. However, most observers agree that the film will draw big business because of its publicity.

Nearly all of the critics interviewed in the lobby of the Pantages theater after the preview expressed dissatisfaction with the picture. Some of the answers were flip: "The volcano was the high point in the picture," "I think James Fitzpatrick (the travelogue maker) has done it better," "It would make a nice home movie," "I don't think it is worth the trip—for Bergman or me."

Climax Weak
More serious critics praised Miss Bergman's acting, but found fault with the story. Said one: "I don't think it is up to the high standards of Roberto Rossellini. The climax is weak; even the music was a let-down."

Most reviewers criticized the ending, in which the actress climbs the volcano, sleeps the night on a lava bed and returns to the village spiritually refreshed. "What mystery! What beauty!" she utters. Said one critic: "The ending amounted to nothing but cutting off the picture with the comment—she's got religion."

Miss Tausignant Honored At Shower

Mary Elizabeth Hibbard entertained at an attractive party last evening at her home, 518 South 10th street, complimentary to Ann Marie Tausignant, whose marriage to John C. Hemes is taking place Saturday morning at St. Joseph's church. An effective arrangement of sweetpeas and snapdragons with tall cathedral tapers and a bridal cake formed the table appointments. The bride-elect was presented with lovely gifts for her new home.



TEEN TALK

Do you like short hair? Or are you still wearing the long bob? Rumor has it that lots of teen queens will let their hair grow long again. Long hair is definitely a flattering feature of a woman, but a great many girls spoiled the long-look because they let their hair grow to Rapunzel lengths and looked like goons. If you want to sport the long bob, wash it frequently and keep it at a becoming length.

Remember, too, that every girl does not look her best with a long hair. Wear the length that is becoming to you. Recently hairdresser Victor Vito quipped some beauties on their preferences. Here's what he came up with:

Fitty Grabie: "I cut my hair last spring, but I'm letting it grow because I feel it is softer, more youthful, more glamorous when it is long."

Model Rosemary Colligan: "For myself I prefer long hair because as a model I find that I am requested to wear my hair many different ways, and without long hair this couldn't be done."

Faye Emerson: "Short hair for an actress is highly impractical because of the variety of characterizations needed in this work. I now am allowing my hair to grow long again because there are so many more hair styles I can wear with long hair."

Model Alma Woods: "I am letting my hair grow because I look like a boy dressed up in girls' clothes with short hair. The most clinching part of it all is my husband hated my short hair."

Jeanne Crain: who cut her hair for a movie also is letting it grow again.

Lisa Kirk of 'Kiss Me Kate': "I adore my long hair and says 'Some women, in order to follow the trend of time, abuse their looks. Men prefer long hair and that is who we primp for. My husband prefers my hair long and he is the one to be pleased—certainly not the fashion crusaders. However, hair should be well-trimmed and not longer than shoulder length."

Be Figurewise: There comes a time in every girl's life when she must make great decisions about such things as bras and girdles. Two famous authorities, Ruth Merzon and Helen Fiske, who have been corseting American figures for many years, claim that if girls would wear proper bras and girdles in their youth, they

would not develop figure problems later.

Often, say these women, the difficult time of blossoming from adolescence into womanhood makes personality problems. A girl who is small bodied or flat-chested or the girl who is over-endowed become self-conscious about their figures. Clothes look baggy in spots, or else look as if they are going to burst at the seams.

They suggest that every young girl have a figure analysis by a reputable authority before the first bra and girdle is purchased. The bra can mold the bustline into a lovely feminine curve, if it is purchased properly. The flat-chested girl can have just as curvaceous figure-beauty as her full-bodied sister by wearing a bra that is molded with an invisible filler sewn right into the bra. The over-endowed youngster can have her bra molded to make her look slimmer from the waist up.

When it comes to selecting a girly young figures need adequate support even if hips are slim. A girdle is a necessary part of the wardrobe of the buxom lass. It keeps young figures within bounds, and gives a nice smooth line to dresses.

Snug-As-A-Bug: If you are the curvy-on-the-sofa type all winter long you probably have developed an unpretty slouch. Another posture problem is round shoulders from bending over books, sitting at desks, and carrying books in your arms. If you want to look pretty and graceful, keep those shoulders back, tummy in, derriere down-under. Here's a simple exercise to straighten out those winter kinks: Sit on a straight chair, raise your arms above your head—clasp your hands with the palms facing the ceiling. Now keeping your elbows straight, push your arms back. Push your elbows back of your ears. Relax and repeat ten times.

Social - Club

Rebekah Social Party
Phoebe Rebekah Lodge No. 179 will hold a social party on Friday evening, February 17 at the I. O. O. F. hall, North 10th street, beginning at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Personal News

Miss Evelyn Swanson of Ann Arbor is spending this week in Escanaba visiting friends and relatives. She arrived here on Saturday.

Mrs. M. B. Lithgow left yesterday for her home in Chicago following a visit here with her father, Dr. C. M. Cuthbert, 230 Lake Shore Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mitchell are arriving this weekend from Waukegan, Ill., to attend the Tausignant-Hemes wedding Saturday morning.

Mrs. Lial E. Clausohm of 1324 Stephenson avenue, who has been seriously ill for the past seven weeks now is convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Packenham, 508 South 10th street. Mrs. Clausohm will enter St. Luke's hospital in Marquette this coming week for special treatment.

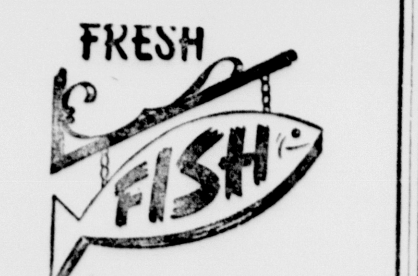
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gibbs, 1613 Second avenue north, returned last night from Chicago where they visited for a week with Mr.

Family Arriving For Wedding

T-Sgt. and Mrs. Seth Burkland and children, Linda and Mickey, of Belleville, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sawdon and son, Tommy, of Muskegon, are arriving today to attend the wedding of Ann Marie Tausignant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Tausignant, 517 South Tenth street, and John C. Hemes. Mrs. Burkland will be her sister's only attendant at the ceremony which is taking place Saturday morning at 10 at St. Joseph's church.



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RECENT BRIDE—Mrs. Delbert Lorenson who was married February 11 at Trinity Lutheran church in Stonington is the former Constance Jacks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jacks of Detroit. The couple will live in Escanaba.—Ridings Photo.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nyquist, 2101 Fifth avenue south, are the parents of a daughter who weighed seven pounds and eleven ounces born at St. Francis hospital February 14. The Nyquists have one other child.

Mr. and Mrs. Constant Cafmeyer, Rock Route One, are the parents of a daughter who weighed seven pounds and ten ounces, born at St. Francis hospital February 14.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Genesee, Rock Route One, February 14 at St. Francis hospital. The baby, the second child in the family, weighed five pounds.

Church Events

Bake Sale
St. Anthony's C. Y. O. will hold a bake sale at the Home Supply on Saturday, Feb. 18.

Illusion Bra New Beach Wear

MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—(P)—The latest thing in beach attire features a "deep see" or "illusion bra," says Fred Cole, Los Angeles swim suit manufacturer.

Cole said the effect is "to make a woman look both barer than she is and as though she has far more bosom than is actually the case."

The effect is achieved by designing rather than by the use of falsies he said. Falsies are out of place on the beach, in Cole's opinion.

"Girls who have worn suits with those pockets for falsies tell me all they ever caught was shell fish and sand," he said during a showing of the latest in swim suits.

Brownies Skating Party Saturday

Escanaba and Gladstone Brownie Scouts will join in a skating party at the Escanaba indoor rink Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4:30. Each Brownie must have a small fee to help defray expenses of admission and lunch and also must have a permission slip signed by her parents. Hot chocolate and hot dogs will be served. Transportation to and from the indoor rink will be arranged by the leaders of each troop and leaders and assistant leaders will be in charge of the party.

Churches Observing Laymen's Sunday

The annual laymen's Sunday will be observed in the four churches of the Hermansville Methodist parish, Cunard, Faithorn, Hermansville and Norway, on Sunday, February 19. A team of four speakers, one from each church and a combined choir will conduct services at the regular worship hour in each church. The theme for the day is "A Layman's Faith."

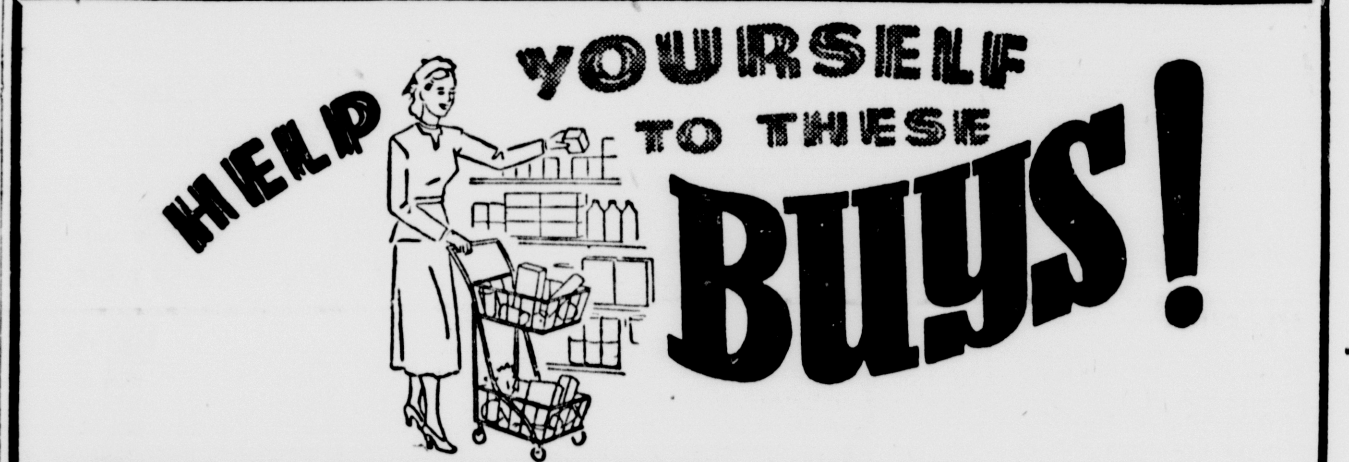
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OLEO 2 lbs.	45c
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Army Prepares For Hot War In Cold Arctic

By RUTH COWAN
WASHINGTON—(AP)—U. S. military planners are taking quite seriously the possibility that if there is a "hot war", fighting will take place where it is bitterly cold.

They are anticipating what can be done in event there are major clashes with Russia in the Arctic regions.

This was disclosed in a House military appropriation subcommittee report.

The report makes public in part secret hearings on the army's request for \$4,018,384,000 of the proposed \$13,000,000,000 defense budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

The army quartermaster department is seeking \$8,258,000 for research and development alone. The requests are studied with research projects on how to enable the soldier to live and fight in the Arctic. One such study dealt with conditions in western Siberia.

Much attention is given to how to keep the soldier warm, the type of food he would need, as well as ways of improving equipment so as to make it more usable

in the severe weather that slows down man and machine.

New Rations Tested

For examples, the army wants to spend \$48,000 in developing light weight, highly resilient and durable filling material for padded Arctic clothing. It wants to find a substitute for the warmth of down in sleeping bags.

It proposes to continue research to improve socks, mittens, shoes for cold wet areas.

Col. Jack Finks of the Army quartermaster general's office told the subcommittee that chemists are trying to develop a way to heat clothing artificially.

He said the quartermaster department has developed "a meat component for an Arctic ration that the soldiers will eat, and one that has great stability in keeping a long time". Finks also reported that the army has found it can store cooked bread two years in the Arctic.

The quartermaster corps is now working to see just how light it can make a stove that will help the soldier heat his rations, warm himself and dry his clothes. The old standard stove weighed 2 pounds 13 ounces. The corps now has one that tips the scale at one pound.

Multiple dam projects along lines somewhat similar to the Tennessee Valley Authority have been started or planned in Afghanistan, Australia, Brazil, Ceylon, India, Mexico, Norway, Portugal and Yugoslavia.

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Side Glances

By Galbraith



"You've taken a whole album of pictures of the children with that camera you got for Christmas—they don't seem to be getting bigger very fast!"

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JUST THAT HE'S BEEN WATCHING US EVER SINCE WE CAME OUT HERE. THAT'S ALL.

ABOUT MY LATE HUSBAND'S ESTATE, MR. MANGLE...

NOW DON'T YOU WORRY ABOUT THE ESTATE, MRS. SAYBROOK. NOT FOR A WHILE, ANYWAY. YOU SHOULD RELAX AND TAKE LIFE EASY.

AND CHRISTOPHER WILL HAVE TO LEARN TO SKI, WON'T YOU, CHRISTOPHER?

Mr. Fred Schram was a guest of the club.

Bugs Bunny

C'MON, ELMER, HUSTLE IT UP!

I'M VEWY EXCITED!

IT'LL BE WONDERFUL TO GET PAID FOR PLAYING MY CORNET!

DON'T FORGET MY COMMISSION FER GETTIN' YA TH' JOB!

PERSEVERANCE PAYS! I'VE PRACTICED DILIGENTLY!

MMMM! MMMM!

PASQUALE'S GOT A SORE LIP, AN' CAN'T BLOW HIS FISH HORN! YOU'RE TAKIN' OVER FER HIM!

Blondie

By Chick Young

BLONDIE, WILL YOU PLEASE FILL MY PIPE FOR ME?

YES, DEAR.

FOO!

WHAT DID YOU PUT IN MY PIPE?

TOBACCO.

I ADMIT I DILUTED IT A LITTLE WITH FACIAL SHAVINGS, BUT I THOUGHT YOU WERE SMOKING TOO MUCH.

Priscilla's Pop

By Al Vermeer

CRASH!

TINKLE TINKLE!

THAT NUTCHELL BOY! IN TROUBLE AGAIN!

YOUNG MAN, YOU'RE CERTAINLY TAKING AFTER YOUR FATHER, AREN'T YOU?

NO, MAM.

HE'S TAKING AFTER ME!

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Nearly 200 At Scout Ski Party

Enjoyable Outing Monday Evening

Between 175 and 200 Boy Scouts and Scouters attended a ski party held Monday night at the Sports Park on the Days River.

Hills were floodlighted and towed operated for the evening and while most of those present skied a number of toboggans and sleds also were in use.

Later in the evening the Scouts gathered in the clubhouse for a community sing. Jim Stoker was at the piano. Hot dogs and hot chocolate were served those present.

Gladstone, Escanaba, Bark River, Wells, Hermansville, Rapid River, Powers and Nahma of the Red Buck district were represented at the outing.

Preparations are now being made for the Klondike Derby at the sports park on Saturday.

Social

Valentine Party

Mrs. Z. P. Cornell entertained members of the Women's Benefit association Monday evening at an enjoyable Valentine party at her home on Michigan avenue.

Guessing games were played with Mrs. Irene Peterson winning the high award.

Each member received a pretty Valentine. Lunch was served by the hostess at the close.

Card Party

Minnevasca Chapter No. 96, OES, held a card party on Tuesday evening at the Masonic hall. Bridge, smear and five hundred was played with honors in bridge going to Mrs. Cliff Murker who was high, Mrs. George Kelly, second and Mrs. Charles Burton, low. In smear, Mrs. Sheldon Noggle was first and Harvey Cowell, second. Elmer Peterson received first in five hundred and Mrs. Robert Ebbesen, second.

A delicious dessert luncheon was served at the close of play.

Bridge Club

Mrs. James Damitz was hostess to the members of her bridge club on Tuesday evening at her home, 1207 Dakota avenue. Mrs. Howard Sunblad received high score and Mrs. Hagle Quarnstrom, second.

A delicious luncheon was served at the close of play with a valentine motif being carried out in the tables, table centerpiece and luncheon.

Mrs. Fred Schram was a guest of the club.

Obituary

ARSENE J. CLOUTIER

Funeral services for Arsen J. Cloutier, 64, veteran Soo Line lineman, were conducted Tuesday morning at All Saints Catholic church, the Rev. Fr. Julius Schaefer offering the requiem. Music of the mass was by the student choir.

Serving as pallbearers were Walter VanDeWeghe, Fritz Exler, Evon Johnson, Joseph Shandonay, O'Neil D'Amour and Gus De Hooghe. Remains were shipped to Thief River Falls, Minn., his former home, for burial.

Out of town persons attending the rites included Mrs. Edward Martell of Green Bay, Phil Cloutier of Rhinelander, Mrs. Albert Belland of Superior and a son, Leo, of Toppish, Wash.

Briefly Told

Young People—The regular weekly Young People's service will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Bethel Evangelical Free church.

Novena Service—Novena services are to be held at All Saints' Catholic church at 7 o'clock Friday evening.

Bake Sale—The Ladies' Aid society of the Mission Covenant church is having a bake sale Saturday afternoon at the Siebert Hardware.

City Briefs

James Paine has returned to New Richmond, Wis., where he is employed with the Soo Line following a week's vacation visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Paine. He has as his guest, Miss Betty Rick of St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cowell of East Lansing are the parents of a son born at East Lansing on Feb. 4. The child has been named James William. Mrs. Cowell is the former Francis Quinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quinn of this city.

Vernon who has been a surgical patient at the Veterans' Hospital at Wood, Wis., is expected to arrive home this evening.

Friday-Saturday SPECIALS

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Springers, lb. 45c
Round, Sirloin or
T-Bone Steak, lb. 65c
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US Good, lb. 69c
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Beer and Wine to Take Out

Notice

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for the Red Owl advertisement of food specials, with prices effective also at the Gladstone Red Owl Store.

HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



WIRELESS TELEPHONE—we call it radio, now—was actually invented about 1900. But it wasn't until after 1920 that people gave it much thought. That year, the first broadcasting station—Westinghouse KDKA in Pittsburgh—began operation. Two years later, there were half a million crackling, popping, squealing "wireless telephone receiving sets" in operation in the United States. Now, there are over 80,000,000. In the Twenties, families gathered around their crystal sets—many of them built at home from mail-order parts. "DX"—distance—not quality of reception, was the pride of the early radio "bug." ("At 2:30 this morning I picked up Chicago.") Earphones were standard equipment, as well as the log for recording the evening's listening.

Flora LaRoche Is Honored At Housewarming

Miss Flora LaRoche was the honored guest at a housewarming party held at her new home, 1204 Delta avenue on Tuesday evening by a group of her friends. Bridge and Canasta formed the evening diversion. Mrs. Louis Gabriel received the award in bridge and Mrs. Charles Bartlett in Canasta. The special award went to Mrs. Ina Green.

Lunch was served at the close of play and the honored guest was presented with a lovely gift. A valentine motif was used. Hostesses were the misses Alice Garrett, Eline Swensen and Mabel Larson.

Out of town persons attending were Miss Esther Pearson and Mrs. Arnold Ottensman of Escanaba.

Pickard's Team Keeps Smear Lead

Although his lead was cut considerably, Carlton Pickard's team still leads the pack in the Holy Name smear tournament being held at All Saints parish hall. Pickard's second half total is now 272 with August Boden and Alphonse Creten tied for second 11 points behind.

Other cumulative scores at Luke LaPlante 267, Fred Malnor 247, Ed Laidlaw 246, Wilfred Leroux 244, Robert Schram 238, Harvey Gardner 230, Clyde Aldworden 221, Walter Hanson 221, Luke LaComb 217, Joseph Raiche 213, Pete DeMenter 211, Charles DeMenter 201, Albert Wilmette 177, Francis Rabitoy 177 and Roy LaCosse 162.

LaPlante's team had high for the week's with 80 while 41 was made by the LaCosse team.

Mrs. Paul Snouwaert will be released from St. Mary's hospital, Marquette, Friday and will return to her home here that evening.

C-C Discusses Work Program

Will Seek Hatchery On Upper Bay

Potential projects for the 1950 work program of the Gladstone Chamber of Commerce were mulled over at a meeting of the directors and membership Tuesday evening at the city hall.

Final drafting of the program will be made following the election of 1950 officers in March.

Initial ballots to name five directors to the C-C board are being tallied and a second ballot naming the ten high from which members will select five will be mailed out next week.

Possible methods of obtaining support for location of a fish hatchery in Delta county also were discussed. Money has been appropriated for construction of a hatchery in the Upper Peninsula and several groups are interested in having it situated at the head of Little Bay de Nocquet.

A hatchery for propagation of walleyed pike was at one time located on the Days River near the mouth and proved highly successful, it is pointed out.

Sending of a message of congratulation to Queen of the North Dolores Hart was approved and thank-you notes to all who assisted in the luncheon Saturday for Queen of the North candidates were authorized.

The U. S. Geological Survey has discovered coal deposits of more than 1,000,000,000 tons in the San Juan Basin of Colorado and New Mexico.

CENTRAL CASH MARKET

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TITO STANDS ALONE

Tito, the Yugoslav dictator, has become a thorn in Russia's side. Too independent for Moscow's liking, Tito, a Communist, has been blasted by the Soviet as a reactionary, a blackguard, a renegade. Between Russia and its satellites on the east and the democratic nations of the west, Tito remains a solitary figure. At one time, Tito was idolized by Russia as a hero, a conqueror of the Nazis. On trips to Moscow and the Balkan capitals, he was feted and dined. The adulation was short-lived. On June 28, 1948, the Cominform—the Communist International Information Bureau—accused Tito of pursuing a nationalist "deviationist" policy. It started a war of words and of nerves in which there has been no letup.



COLD SIP. Tito and U.S. Ambassador Richard Patterson, right, drink at hunt in 1946.



WARTIME partisan leader Tito, right, and members of staff on a bridge outside his mountain cave headquarters.



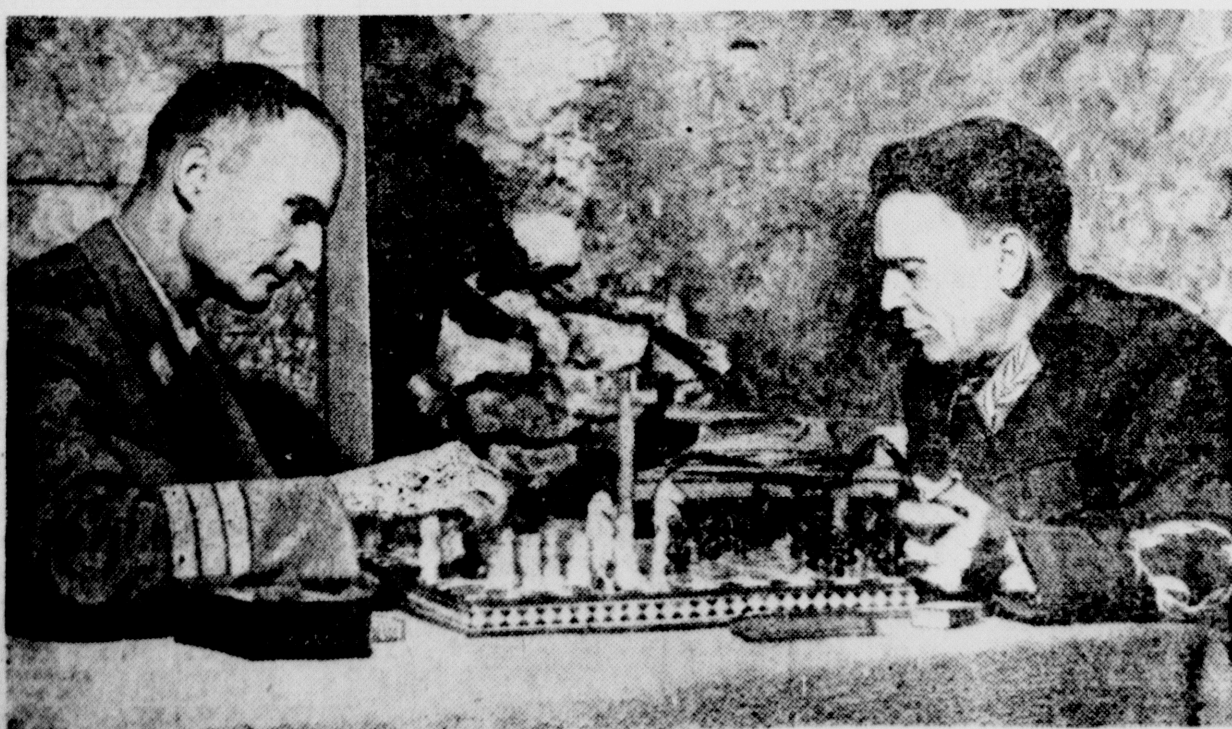
FIGHTING PREMIER. Tito poses alongside heroic figure of partisan fighter outside his villa at Lake Bled.



LIFE STUDIES. Tito, left, as peasant's son; center: during war Tito escapes from Germans who surrounded his camp; right: Tito feted in Moscow, 1944.



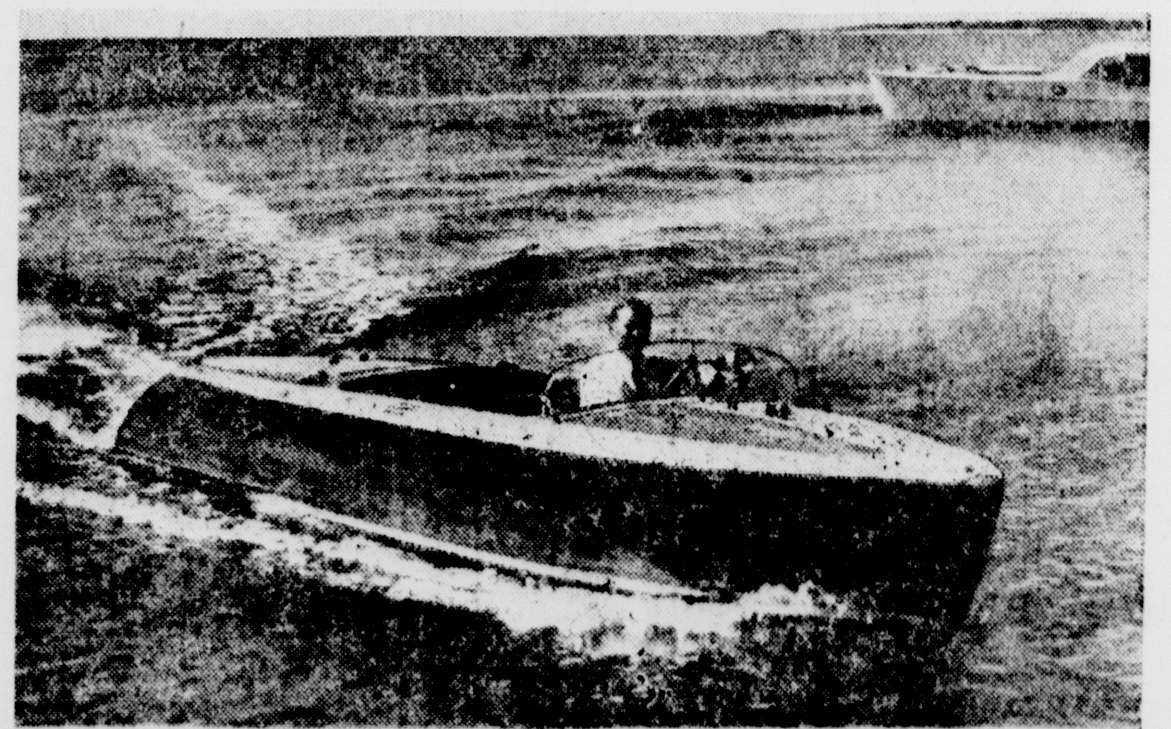
RELAXING. Tito takes his dog, Tigar, for a dip in a mountain lake retreat.



FOND OF CHESS. Tito plays the game with his chief of staff in wartime hideout.



TITO with his generals, Popovich and Djurich.



OUTDOOR MAN. Tito pilots his boat at fast clip about island of Brioni.

This Week's PICTURE SHOW—AP Newsfeatures

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111 Cedar StreetBus Crash
Inquest HeldCoroner's Jury Holds
Both Drivers At Fault

"We believe that Jerry Erickson lost his life in an accident involving the Thompson school bus operated by Joseph Hursh and a logging truck owned by Carl Howard and operated by Edward Harbinski, and it is our opinion, by vote, that negligence was evidenced by both parties."

The above is the verdict of the coroner's jury, called by Coroner Edward V. Jackson to investigate the death in a bus-logging truck crash of Gerald, the 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Erickson of the Thompson vicinity.

Among the witnesses called at the inquest, which was held in the office of County Prosecutor William J. Sheahan Thursday morning, were Troopers Charles Bush and Robert Beach, Joseph Hursh and Edward Harbinski, drivers of the vehicles involved; Miss Katherine Nelson, school teacher, who was in the bus at the time of the crash; Frank Richards, who was on the scene a few seconds after the accident and who took the injured child to the hospital and Mrs. Larry Marlow, of Thompson, who saw a truck pass her home just before the accident.

Important items of testimony revealed that the highway was slippery at the time of the morning. Corroborated testimony showed that the school bus driver stopped when he came to the highway intersection. Hursh also stated that he did not see the oncoming truck until the crash occurred. The school bus, it was established, was well over the center line of Highway 2 when the other vehicle struck. Visibility from the bus was good, witnesses stated. The bus was in second and moving at a slow pace. Harbinski, the truck driver, said he was driving at about 40 miles per hour before he attempted to slow down to avoid the crash.

Frank Richards, store proprietor at Thompson, testified as to the position of the two vehicles after the accident. He stated that the icy condition of the paving made it impossible to determine the position of the vehicles at the time of the accident. The truck he said, first struck the front of the bus, but did not do much harm. The truck then skidded and the rear stake socket of the logging trailer hit slightly back of the bus entrance and this caused the tragedy. Richards stated that he took the injured boy to the Shaw hospital. He stated that while he knew it was best to call an ambulance and not disturb the injured child as little as possible, there was little else to be done because the truck, before it came to a stop, had crashed into a telephone pole disrupting telephone service.

Miss Nelson, in describing the crash, stated that no one was aware of danger until it came and the impact knocked the passengers out of their seats.

Vernon Linderoth placed into evidence a number of photos taken at the scene of the accident. The jury came to a decision about three o'clock in the afternoon after an hour of testimony was completed. On the jury were R. Z. Bertrand, Dale Ott, Robert G. Hewitt, Edwin Thompson, Frank DeCelle and Emmett McNamara.

Will Attend
District Home
Ec Conference

Mrs. Frank Arrowood and Mrs. Richard Popour will attend the annual District Home Economics Conference at Marquette this week.

The county Home Economics chairman and one other member from each county in the Upper Peninsula will take part in meetings held at Northern Michigan College of Education, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Arrowood will report on the Home Economics club activities in Schoolcraft county during the past year. Besides reports from each county, there will be the annual business meeting, a banquet, recreation, and a talk by Miss Margaret Harris on the future of the Home Economics program. The meeting is being held in conjunction with the monthly Extension conference. The Schoolcraft county delegates will be accompanied by Clayton D. Reid, county agricultural agent.

Housework
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Briefly Told

Chamber of Commerce—There will be a meeting this evening of the Chamber of Commerce at the Court House for the purpose of discussing the new 80% county tax proposal. The meeting will be promptly at 8 o'clock. J. J. Herbert will be present to explain the proposal. All members are requested to be present and bring any interested parties.

Card Party—The Lakeside-Central P. T. A. will hold a card party this evening at the Lakeside school. The public is invited.

Bake Sale—Members of St. Alban's Guild will hold a bake sale at the Quick Electric Store on Friday beginning at 1:30 p. m.

V. F. W. Auxiliary—The V. F. W. Auxiliary will hold a social on Monday evening, February 20 at 8 o'clock in the club rooms. A short entertainment will be held after which cards and bunco will be played. Refreshments will be served by the committee.

Girl Scout Leaders—The Girl Scout Leaders' association will meet Monday, February 20 at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. J. Brenner, Walnut street.

Girl Scout Council—The Manistique Girl Scout Council will hold a regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. L. Le Duc, Indian Lake.

Sportsmen's Club—A regular meeting of the Schoolcraft County Sportsmen's club will be held Thursday evening. Refreshments will be served.

Social

Lady Foresters
A regular meeting of the Lady Foresters was held Tuesday evening in the parochial school hall. Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed. Prizes in cards went to Mrs. Ray Besner, high in bridge, and Mrs. Jasper Laurion, second. In five hundred, Mrs. Jack Weber received high and Mrs. Adam Houghton, second. Refreshments were served later from tables decorated in the Valentine motif.

Bride Club
Mrs. Ian McKilligan entertained members of her bride club at their regular meeting Thursday evening at her home at Indian Lake. Mrs. Earl H. LeBrasseur won high score and Mrs. McKilligan, second high. Delicious refreshments were served prior to the bridge games. Decorations were in the Valentine motif.

Entertainers Handy Hands
Mrs. Ed Ekdahl was hostess to the members of the "Handy Hands" Extension club at a Valentine party at her home, 508 Park avenue, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Henry Archy, chairman, conducted a business meeting. Mrs. Leo Popour, project leader, reported on the aluminum tray lesson, which will be given next month.

Other members present were Mrs. William Belleville, Mrs. William Arnold, Mrs. Roeben Peterson, Mrs. Harvey Pierce, Mrs. Fred Davis, Jr., Mrs. Clarence Whitman and Mrs. Richard Popour. Guests were Mrs. Ruth Shust and Mrs. Hele Gustafson of Manistique and Mrs. Jennie Coleman of Marshall, Mich.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Whitman. The table was beautifully decorated with a Valentine cloth and napkins.

If possible, water houseplants with rain water or melted snow.

Mrs. M. Losey
Dies WednesdayRites Saturday For
Germfask Matron

Mrs. Martha Losey, long a resident of the Germfask community, died Wednesday morning at her home following a long illness. Mrs. Losey, whose maiden name was Martha Brown, was born in Sherman township on September 10, 1872 and was married there, on September 13, 1884, to Calvin Losey. The family moved from Mount Pleasant to Germfask forty-four years ago. Mrs. Losey was a member of the Germfask Methodist church.

Surviving her are her husband, Calvin; a son, Glen Losey, of Germfask; seven grandchildren; thirteen great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at the Germfask Methodist church on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. The Rev. William Schobert will conduct the services and burial will be made in the Germfask cemetery. Friends may call at the Morton Funeral Home. The body will be taken to the Germfask Methodist church at one o'clock Saturday.

Spud Acreage
Allotment Date
Limit Feb. 28

The Schoolcraft County PMA committee announced this week that February 24 is the final date for potato producers to apply for a new farm potato acreage allotment for 1950.

This means that farmers who plan to grow potatoes this year for the first time or regular potato producers who are farming land on which there has not been an established potato acreage allotment in the past, may have the opportunity to apply for a "new farm" potato allotment on or before the deadline date of February 24.

In order to be eligible for government price support protection on the 1950 potato crop, growers must plant within their assigned acreage allotments and must fulfill certain other eligibility requirements.

City Briefs

Word has been received from St. Paul, Minn., that twins were born on February 8 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall. The babies, a boy and a girl, weighed seven pounds each. They have been named Alan Joseph and Gloria Jean. Mrs. Hall is the former Jewell Fremette, formerly of Gulliver.

Mrs. Walter Burns held Wednesday morning for Mansfield, O., called by the illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wilbur T. Burns. Mrs. Russell Watson and Mrs. J. L. LeDuc, members of the Manistique Girl Scout Camp committee, attended the regular session of the Timber Trail Camp association meeting held Thursday in Marquette.

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Fire Call To
Curran Garage

Fire, caused when the flame from an acetylene torch came in contact with a leak from a gas-line tank, brought the fire department to the Curran Garage early Wednesday afternoon. The situation looked serious for a while, but employees at the garage had the situation well in hand and the fire was out shortly after the department arrived.

There was no fire damage.

Garden

Church Services
GARDEN, Mich.—St. John the Baptist—Holy Hour at 7:30 p. m. Friday. Masses at 8 and 10 a. m. Sunday, Feb. 19th.

Congregational—Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Basketball
The local girls' and boys' teams were taken by school bus Friday night to battle the Cooks teams. The girls were victors but the boys went down to defeat.

Parties
All pupils of the kindergarten and grade schools held observances of St. Valentine's Day Tuesday by exchange of Valentines and recreational activities.

Mrs. Earl Rost took the pupils of her room, second and third grades, to the kindergarten school Friday afternoon to visit the kindergarten and first grade pupils. Mrs. Alfred LaVallee entertained her bridge club Friday night and served tasty lunch after play which netted awards for Mrs. Wm. Swaen in high score, Mrs. Joe Farley, low score and traveling prize and Mrs. Fred Gauthier, 80 honors.

The local members of the Peninsula Lion's club motored to Fayette, where the regular dinner meeting was held Thursday night at "The Port."

Among local members of the Legion who attended the party held at the Legion hall in Manistique Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Basil McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Thibault, Ulysses Thibault, Charles Gauthier, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hermes, and Herbert Sill of Garden and Alpha Bernard of Fayette.

Briefs
Jack LaCost has arrived from Detroit to spend a few weeks with his family here while his boat is laid up.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaBelle of Flint spent the weekend here and at Fayette with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vanner Erickson spent the weekend at Thompson where they were called by the accidental death of their nephew, Jerry Erickson.

To make a rich and delectable caramel custard, cover a can of condensed milk with water and boil for three hours—adding more hot water if necessary to keep the can covered. Then put the can in the refrigerator until it is well chilled. Open at both ends and slide the custard out. Serve slices of rich caramel concoction on rounds of sponge cake with a spoonful of whipped cream for each portion.

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PMA Announces
Price SchedulePotato Prices Based
On 60% Of Parity

The schedule of prices by months, at which 1950 crop potatoes produced in Schoolcraft county will be supported was released this week by county office of the Production and Marketing Administration. The prices which are based on 60 percent of parity on January 1, 1950, range from \$1.45 per hundred in September, 1950 to \$1.90 per hundred in March, 1951, for potatoes grading U. S. No. 1, U. S. Commercial, and U. S. No. 2. Potatoes grading U. S. No. 1 Size B will be supported at \$1.00 per hundred throughout the fall and winter months of 1950 and 1951.

To be eligible for support, growers must stay within their acreage allotments, pay a nominal service fee, (comply with marketing regulations issued under the marketing agreement and order for this producing area), and enter into an agreement with the Department of Agriculture under which, among other things, limits may be set on the rate at which potatoes may be offered to the Department, and the growers may be required to withhold specified low grades and sizes of potatoes from commercial markets. Eligibility requirements of potato dealers and cooperatives will be in line with those required of growers, the committee explains.

ABA Members
To Hold Annual
Meeting Feb. 28

The first annual meeting of the Schoolcraft County Artificial Breeder's association will be held at the Cooks High School, Tuesday night, February 21, at 8:00 p. m. Clayton D. Reid, County Agricultural Agent announced.

Wm. B. Lutz, Extension Livestock Specialist from Chatham, will be the main speaker. A 45-minute colored motion picture will be shown, which shows some of the proven sires used in the artificial breeding program.

During the business part of the meeting two new directors will be elected and reports of the first year's operation will be given.

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Offense Charge

Fred Johnson, of the Cusino district, is in the county jail awaiting trial in the coming days of circuit court on a charge of taking indecent liberties with a minor girl.

Johnson was arrested last Friday and arraigned before Judge W. G. Stephens Wednesday morning. He waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the circuit court. Bond for his release was set at \$1,000 which he was unable to provide.

Pvt. William Scoon
Now At Otsu, Japan

WITH THE EIGHTH ARMY IN OSAKA, JAPAN—Private William Scoon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Avia Scoon of North 5th street, Manistique, Michigan, is now on duty with the 35th Infantry Medical company which is stationed at Otsu, Japan.

He is part of the Pacific famed 25th Infantry (Tropic Lightning) division, commanded by Major General William B. Kean. His present duty is that of Ambulance Orderly in the medical company. He joined the Army January 10, 1949 at Manistique and arrived in Japan on April 6, 1949.

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A stimulating and thought-provoking program was presented to members of the Manistique Women's club at their regular meeting Tuesday, Feb. 14 by members and the coach of the Manistique high school debate team.

Mrs. William Norton, program chairman, in introducing Marvin Frederickson, speech coach in the local high school, praised him and all members of his department for the splendid record, not only this year but in previous contests, that has been maintained by local speech students. Mr. Frederickson discussed advantages to be gained by oral explanation and merits of debate, itself. He also announced that the senior members of the debate team, Joan Sheahan and Dan VanEyk, had won the right to enter competition with 13 other representative schools for the state championship in Ann Arbor in May. This contest will not be in the form of a debate but more along the extemporaneous lines.

Margo Viergiver, Lael Richards, Joan Sheahan and Dan VanEyk, in a clear concise and intelligent

manner, presented both the negative and affirmative side of the topic: "Resolved, that the president of the United States should be elected by a direct vote of the people."

Miss Nadine Westin, a member of the music department of the high school and a recognized talented musician, played two piano selections: "Jalousie" by Gato and an improvised version of "Swanee River" which were generously applauded.

Tea was later served from a table with appointments and decorations in the Valentine motif. Hostesses were: Mrs. Don McNally, chairman and the Mesdames Alvin Nelson, Arthur Saunders, Scott Creighton, Howard Graft, Harold Bradley, Ferd Gorsche and Gordon Denny.

Russia's Trans-Siberian Railway, 8,000 miles long, is believed to be the longest in the world.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking everyone for their kind response during our recent bereavement. We greatly appreciate the visitations of friends and neighbors; the contributions of flowers and money; those who acted as pallbearers; those who donated the use of their cars; the comforting words of Rev. G. A. Herbert and the kind acts of Miss Katherine Nelson. These acts of kindness will never be forgotten.

Signed:
The Ellis Erickson Family

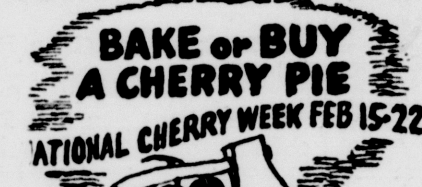


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Hawks, Indians Settle The Issue At 8:30 Tonight

The battle lines are drawn for the Gladstone Indian-Escanaba Hawks U. P. Hockey league clash at the fairgrounds rink at 8:30 tonight and all that remains is for the rugged skating warriors to crawl into the arena and settle the issue.

It's important enough to Delta county hockey fans that Gladstone and Escanaba are again meeting on ice.

But the game is doubly important because it has strong bearing on the fight for third place in the U. P. league and it is the "saw-off" game between the two rivals of long standing.

In an exhibition game here early this season, Escanaba won by 10-1. Not long ago in a league

game at Gladstone, the Indians won by 5-2. So here they go again and this time the devil is slated to take the hindmost.

Mel Bertrand, of Escanaba, and Wallace Cameron, of Gladstone, will officiate tonight's version of "legalized mayhem on ice" and it goes without saying that they will have their work cut out for them.

Both the Hawks and Indians have been practicing with a vengeance this week, a sharpness that indicates both will be at peak effectiveness for tonight's clash.

Both Coaches Babs Petaja and Johnny Lake have been non-committal about the outcome but both are emphatic in saying that "No quarter will be given. It'll be a battle all the way."

Marquette Invades Gladstone Friday

GLADSTONE — Coach Eldon Keill, Gladstone high school Braves wind up practice this afternoon for their meeting here Friday evening with the classy Marquette Gravelers.

The game should prove one of the best as well as one of the toughest on the local card. Marquette has a rangy, fast crew who all season have proven good ball handlers. It is one of two teams able to turn tables on Ishpeming during the current season.

Last weekend at Gwinnett the Braves appeared sharper than they have in recent weeks, their ball handling was greatly improved and they had an eye for the basket as was shown when they set a scoring record even with their top scorer out of the game for a considerable length of time.

Coach Keill plans on sticking with his regular lineup with Phil Creten at center, Capt. Bill Rajala

and Lerry LaPlant, forwards, and Jim Schram and Tich Swenson, guards. Dick Stade probably will alternate with LaPlant depending on the type of defense Marquette employs. Other who may see action are Jim Lalonde, John Syverson, Joe Sutter and Leslie Young.

How About That? They Ban Peanuts At Frisco Ball Park

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The lowly peanut, almost as much a part of baseball as the ball and bat, has been banished from the home grounds of the San Francisco Seals. It costs too much to clean up the shells.

Paul I. Fagan, president and main stockholder of the Pacific Coast league team, announced yesterday:

"They cost us too much money. They sell for 10 cents per bag, but cost 24 cents from the concessionaires for each bag sold. I estimate it costs us five cents for giving every man, woman and child who buys a bag the privilege of throwing them on our clean floors."

He said it costs \$20,000 a year in janitors' labor to clean up the shells.

Bark River Captures 53-44 Central Loop Tilt From Perkins

PERKINS—Bark River-Harris captured a Central U. P. Basketball league at Perkins' expense here last night. The final tally was 53-44. Ace Nault and Jim Good hit 20 and 21 points, respectively, to pace the Barkers to their nine-point win. Al Krouth paced Perkins with 14 counters. Bark River led, 23-20, at halftime.

In the preliminary game, the Perkins seventh and eighth graders won, 33-23.

Summary:

PERKINS	FG	F	FM	PF
Ed Harris	4	2	1	3
Alfred Krouth	4	3	2	2
R. Depuydt	4	3	0	2
K. Depuydt	0	1	0	2
Seander	0	0	3	4
Dallier	3	2	1	1
Anderson	0	0	0	0
Besson	0	0	0	1
Totals	17	10	7	19

BARK RIVER	FG	F	FM	PF
Erickson	1	4	1	1
Bartoszek	1	2	4	5
Johnson	2	0	5	3
Nault	10	0	1	4
Good	0	0	3	3
Kane	0	0	0	0
Poisson	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	7	17	17

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Kane	0	0	0	0
Poisson	0	0	0	0
Totals	23	7	17	17

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

New York (St. Nicholas Arena)—Jimmy Beau, 185½, Norwalk, Conn., outpointed Jose Basora, 164½, Puerto Rico, 8.

Phoenix, Ariz.—Ralph Helms, 156, Bowling, Wyo., knocked out Paterno Corrales, 162, Tucson, Ariz., 5.

Wichita, Kas.—Alvin Williams, 612, Wichita, and Herbert Hooks, 158, Chicago, drew, 10.

Oakland, Calif.—Johnny Helms, 156, Oakland, outpointed Tommy Campbell, 158½, Rockport, Ill., 10.

Marlene Bauer 16 Years Old Today; She's Still Winning

PALM BEACH, Fla.—(AP)—Marlene Bauer, sensational girl golfer from Midland, Tex., celebrates her 16th birthday today by playing in the semifinals of the 15th annual Everglades club mixed foursomes tournament.

Miss Bauer teamed with Reginald Boardman, Jr., Palm Beach, to carve a 3 and 2 decision over the Miami team of Mrs. James D. Platt, Jr., and Art Severson yesterday.

In the other bracket, Alice Bauer, Marlene's 22-year old sister, and Clark Hardwick of Bel-Air, Calif., had to go to the final green for a two up decision over Mrs. Catherine Fox Park of Glen Ridge, N. J., and Buddy Godwin of Miami.

Louis To Show His Wares In Americas

NEW YORK — (AP) — Retired heavyweight champion Joe Louis will make a 15-hour exhibition swing through Central and South America this spring.

The Brown Bomber would open March 20 probably in Panama. He then will swing down the east coast and return up the west coast.

Louis is winding up an exhibition schedule through Florida, Alabama and Texas.



HAWKS GO TO WORK—Two Escanaba Hawk standbys who are set to go the limit when the local sextet squares off against their arch Delta county rivals, the capable Gladstone Indians, at the Escanaba rink tonight are Johnny Gorenchan, defenseman, at the right and Paul "Bud" Provo, speedy wing, at the left. They are shown here at practice last night teaming up on an offensive thrust. Gorenchan is a poke-check artist, and Provo is one of the fastest and gamiest players on the squad. The game will get underway at 8:30 tonight. Each has won one against each other to date and this is the "saw-off." (Escanaba Press photo).

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S P O R T S

"It Seems To Me"

BY JIM WARD

Cuff notes: Paul Vezina, Marquette university student from Manistique, who was judged the most graceful rider at the Wisconsin Hoofers ski meet in Madison last weekend, is a nephew of L. A. Danielson, Escanaba Daily Press wire editor. . . They're trying awfully hard to get Fritz Tschannen, Swiss, holder of the world's record leap of 393 feet, for the Iron Mountain ski meet Feb. 25 and 26. . . Tschannen set the record at Planice, Yugoslavia, in 1947. . . The American record is 297 set by Ishpeming's Joe Perrault at Iron Mountain last year.

Ron Israelson, Bill Luke and Katherine Kingsford, of Iron Mountain, are ski instructors at Green Bay. . . Israelson may not be the best skier in the Midwest but he's the biggest. . . About 255 and six-two. . . When he throws his weight into a stem Christie even the hill groans. . . And they don't make ski poles for his galandensprung. . . Seriously, big Ron is a very capable skier and a conscientious instructor.

Look-alikes: Gene Ronzani, new Green Bay Packer coach, and John Garfield, the motion picture star. . . On hand is a penny postcard from a reader in Sault Ste. Marie who says, in effect: "What's all this about you and Bill Miller 'conceding' the U. P. Class D championship to either Rapid River or Vulcan?" . . . He wants us to know have we ever heard about Brimley, which lost its first game of the season and since has won 15 in a row. . . Brimley lost to Vulcan last year by six points but it has the same team of veterans back, he says. . . Our reader from the eastern end of the U. P. says "Brimley shouldn't have any trouble in the district, and I think they can win the U. P. . . Remember, I told you." . . Okeh, okeh, we'll wait and see.

Two Greyhound buses have been chartered to take 70 members of the east of the Escanaba Ice revue to the Canadian Soo Friday night to see the Ice-Cycles of 1950 at the Memorial Gardens, the Soo's \$750,000 community building. . . Howard Sullivan, Escanaba, is a member of Ice-Cycles.

Deadline for entry in the U. P. dartball tournament is Feb. 22. Jerome Deloria, tourney manager, reports. . . All the trophies are on display at the dartball center. . . George Strickler's successor as public relations director of the Green Bay Packers has been named. . . He is Francis (Jug) Earpe, who played center and tackle for 11 years with the Packers and was a member of its championship teams of 1929, 1930 and 1931. . . What his experience is in public relations was not disclosed, but he undoubtedly has and understands the old Green Bay Packer spirit. . . That will do for a start. . . That's something Strickler never understood.

Local Ski Tourney Set For Sunday At Danforth

Skiing and ski jumping are staging a revival in Escanaba. A combination jump-cross-country-downhill ski meet will be held at the Danforth hill and winter sports area Sunday afternoon, beginning at 1:30. The public is invited. There is no charge.

Downhill competition is first on the schedule to be followed by a cross-country race and the ski jump meet. Riders will shoot toward a hill record of 80 feet. Approximately 50 skiers are expected to compete.

Mosconi Sets Pool Run Mark Of 141 In National Meet

CHICAGO—(AP)—Willie Mosconi, Barrington, N. J. former world's pocket billiard champion, retained his lead in the National Pockets Tourney at Navy Pier after setting a new national high run mark last night.

Mosconi ran 141-and-out in defeating Onofrio Lauri, Brooklyn, N. Y., 150 to 42 in nine innings to break his previous mark of 133 which he set on Tuesday.

Mosconi and Joe Canton, (8-2) of Watervliet, N. Y. are definitely in the world's playoffs, with two other berths yet to be decided.

In three-cushion play Harold Worst, 21-year-old star from Grand Rapids, Mich., clinched a playoff spot by defeating Dan McGorty of San Francisco 50 to 34 in 51 innings.

Joe Chamaco, Mexico City, leader of three-cushion tourney with eight triumphs in nine matches, defeated John Fitzpatrick, Los Angeles, 50 to 15 in 35 innings.

Cloverland To Play VFW Quint Tonight

The Cloverland-Shamrock game scheduled to be held at the junior high gym tonight has been postponed indefinitely and will be replaced with the Cloverland-VFW game, which will start at 7:30 tonight. Powers will meet Harnischfeger in a Class B game at 8:30 which has much bearing on the championship race.

Rio Grande Golf Underway Today

HARLINGEN, Tex.—(AP)—The third annual \$10,000 Rio Grande Valley open swung into its first 18-hole round today.

A field of 156 players appeared destined to do terrifying things to par 71 on the short course with its powder dry fairways and fast greens.

Jimmy Demaret and Cary Middecott were picked as the men to beat in the run for the \$2,000 first money.

DARTBALL

Birdseye lost a 9-0 game to St. Stephens and then came back to win the last two by 6-5 and 6-3 in an exhibition contest at the city dartball center. Wally Hubert Birdseye, hit .578 on 11 for 19 and Ed Kammerer of St. Stephens had 12x19 for .631.

In another exhibition, Red-shirts of Gladstone beat Eddy's Bar by 8-4, 3-9 and 9-1 with Charley Anderson, Gladstone, hitting 9x16 for .562 and Mark Valind, Eddy's, connecting on 12x18 for .666.

The Central Methodist took two from First Methodist in Escanaba church dartball play. Central won 7-3, 4-6 and 5-2.

Emerald-Eskymo Tilt Here Tomorrow

Upcoming Local Quint After 4th Victory Of Season

"We expect a plenty tough game against Manistique, but we've been gaining considerable confidence and experience with each game this season and should make a creditable showing against the Emeralds," said Coach Steve Baltic of the Escanaba Eskymos on the eve of the clash with Manistique's "upset" team.

Manistique is the team that bumped off St. Joseph's of Escanaba, Negaunee, Sault Ste. Marie and Munising when the basketball faithful thought they didn't have a ghost of a chance. But they did it!

Thus, the Eskymos will be very wary when the Schoolcraft and Delta quintets clash at 8:30 tomorrow night in the junior high school gym. There's a preliminary at 7 between the Escanaba sophomore intramural quintet and the Escanaba junior high five.

That 'Upset' Team Probable Eskey starters are the high five of Paul Baldwin, the squad's ace feeder and dribble artist, close guarding Dick Shomin, accurate shooting Axel Anderson and the guard duo of Warren "Jo Jo" Johnston and Buddy Weber.

Available for utility duty will be Jim Heiden, Dick Johnson, Jim and Nick Prokos, Tom Smith and Harold Cloutier. Pat Farrell, twelfth member of the squad, is out of town taking U. S. Navy ROTC examinations at present.

Coach Bob Hussey has a very capable Manistique quintet that would like nothing better than to repeat its "upset" performance against St. Joseph's in the William Bonifas gym earlier this season. But this time they'd like to skip the anxiety of the overtime period and do it up just a bit neater.

Respect Each Other Hussey can point with pride to such stalwarts as Burnis, Hough, Patz, Popour, Carlson, Anderson and Quick, who carried the brunt in the upset triumphs that electrified Class B basketball circles in the U. P.

It's difficult to say whether a Manistique win over Escanaba would rate as an upset, but the Eskymos are determined to make such a statement unnecessary by salting away a triumph.

One thing is sure—each respects the other a great deal and that usually makes for one heckuva bangup ball game.

Austrian Blonde Stealing Show In World Ski Classic

ASPEN, Colo.—(AP)—Dagmar Rom, the graceful blonde Austrian, is just one hurdle away from recognition as one of the greatest woman skiers in history.

The final test for the gay, 21-year old university student will come tomorrow on Aspen mountain's treacherous downhill course. A victory would give her a clean sweep of the women's Alpine events in the world meet sponsored by the Federation Internationale de Ski (FIS).

Miss Rom, a natural athlete who maneuvers with almost effortless ease, added the World slalom crown yesterday to the giant slalom championship she had captured two days earlier.

If she takes the downhill title also, she will succeed the famous Christl Cranz of Germany as the all-around queen of the slatriders. Christl dominated international competition in the late thirties.

The men's slalom is scheduled today, starting at noon, EST. Among the 60 contestants from 13 nations, Zeno Colo, the Italian woodsman, is the favorite. Colo won the giant slalom Tuesday.

One of the top contenders, Gutorm Berge of Norway, suffered a slight concussion in a fall yesterday and will not compete.

Miss Rom needed only one minute, 47.8 seconds for two runs down the steep, 1,320-foot women's course clearing the 33 gates with flawless skill.

The attractive Austrian's time of 53.2 seconds for the initial run was the best of the day. She eased up slightly on the second run and took 54.6 seconds. Her combined time was just one-tenth of a second faster than that of a teammate, Erika Mahringer.

Big 10 To Draft New Cage Schedules To Include MSC

CHICAGO—(AP)—Big Ten basketball coaches will meet here March 8-9 to draft schedules for 1951 and 1952 when new member Michigan State will be added to the championship race.

Commissioner K. L. (Tug) Wilson said the coaches will attempt to settle upon a 12 or 14-game league schedule to be submitted for final approval by conference athletic directors here March 10-11.

In 1942, the conference played a 15-game league schedule, but since then a 12-game schedule has been in operation. After Chicago quit the conference in 1946, the nine members each played four rivals on a home-and-home basis and four in single games.

With Michigan State as the new 10th member, a 12-game schedule would call for three home-and-home series and six single games, while under a 14-game slate, there would be five home-and-home sets and four single contests.

Lean Days Falling Upon Mighty Red Wings; Blanked By Chicago

(By The Associated Press)

Lean days have fallen upon the proud champions of the National Hockey League, the Detroit Red Wings.

Riding high through the first half of the season and headed toward an apparent walkaway, the champs are beginning to find much rougher going on the trip home.

Last night they were shut out, 3-0, by the last place Chicago Black Hawks. This gave the Wings a mark of four victories, four defeats and six ties to show for their last month's efforts.

They maintained a nine-point advantage over the fast-finishing Toronto Maple Leafs, defending Stanley Cup champions, but they must feel tightening pressure from beneath.

The Leafs were idle last night as were the third-place Montreal Canadiens, New York's Rangers

and Boston's Bruins maintained their positions by playing a 2-2 tie in New York.

The Rangers are in fourth place, protecting the playoff spot with a three-point edge.

The Wings missed their league-leading scorer, Ted Lindsay, in Chicago, with Lindsay in Hot Springs, Ark., to treat his ailing back, the Detroiters showed little or no punch.

Chicago's Metro Prystai scored in the first period for the Hawks and Bill Mosenko and Bep Guidolin added counters in the last period.

Goalie Frank Brimsek turned back 23 shots for his third shut-out of the campaign. Detroit's Harry Lumley was extended to 42 saves.

The contest was marked by an absence of feuding such as marked the previous Red Wing-Black Hawk game in Detroit a week earlier.

Incidentally, NHL prexy Clarence Campbell replied in some detail to criticism from Detroit hockey writers.

At Montreal Campbell said the Detroit Hockey Writers Association has pre-judged the Conacher case.

When court proceedings end "the representations made will be given thorough consideration and action," Campbell said in a press release following receipt of a telegram from the association.

The association, addressing its protest to Campbell and the NHL Board of Governors, said there was a "failure" to take "disciplinary action" against Charlie Conacher, coach of Chicago Black Hawks.

Following a game Feb. 8 in Detroit, writer Lew Walter of the Detroit Times filed an assault charge against Conacher. He claimed Conacher slugged him in the Hawk dressing room.

Gladstone, Menominee Win In Reserve Cage Tourney

GAMES TONIGHT

7 p. m.—Perkins vs. Powers, D-E
8:15—St. Joseph vs. Gladstone, B-C
9:30—Lourdes vs. Menominee, B-C

STEPHENSON—(Special to Escanaba Daily Press)—Gladstone nipped Escanaba in a hotly-contested 25-24 game in the opening Class B-C game of the seventh annual reserve basketball tournament here last night.

Menominee defeated Stephenson 47-25, in the opposite half of the B-C bracket.

In the only D-E game played last night, Rock nipped Rapid River, 32-31, in a semifinal game and will play the Perkins-Powers winner at 8:15 Saturday night for the championship. Rock is defending the title it won here last season.

Menominee is the defending Class B-C champion. If it is successful in handling Marinette Lourdes tonight it will face the St. Joe-Gladstone winner in the B-C title finals at 9:30 Saturday night. No games are slated for tomorrow night.

Gladstone's win over Escanaba reversed the decision Escanaba gained in a 37-33 game played as a preliminary for the Escanaba-Gladstone varsity game in Gladstone a week ago.

The Brave Bees trailed 5-8 at the quarter but slipped into a 14-11 halftime lead. The see-saw continued, however, and Escanaba went in front by 20-19 going into the fourth quarter. The Braves kept plugging and outscored the Eskymo Bees, 6-4, in the final quarter to take a hard-earned 25-24 victory.

Stuart Jensen and Jim McCarthy were top scorers for Escanaba with seven and six points, respectively. Timler led Gladstone with seven points.

Laurits' 19 points paced Rock to its 32-31 win over Rapid River, whose Thomas and Thorsen came in for 10 points each.

Rock . . . 3 10 8 10-31
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Pelnor was Menominee's big wheel with 19 points, and Schlenvogt scored 11 for Stephenson.

Stephenson . . . 7 9 3 6-25
Menominee . . . 6 10 14 17-47

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CAGE MEETING FRIDAY
An important meeting of the Escanaba Basketball association will be held in the city council chambers at 7 tomorrow night.

UM's McEwen In Mile Test

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—(AP)—A feature mile run that will test the versatility of Don McEwen, Michigan's great sophomore runner, highlights today's dual track meet between Michigan and Illinois.

It will be the first mile for the young Canadian sophomore whose 9:06.9 in the two-mile last week stands as the fastest indoor two miles ever run on a cinder track.

And it will be a real test. At least five runners capable of better than 4:20 for the mile will be in action, including Walt Jewsbury, who only last week ran a 4:13.9 as Illinois whipped Ohio State in a dual meet. The mark was a meet and armory record.

And not the least of the threats comes from Michigan's own Arron Gordon who was only 1.1 seconds off the pace as Don Gehrmann, one of the nation's best milers from Wisconsin, won his specialty in the Michigan-Wisconsin dual meet here.

If no last minute lineup changes are made, that will set up a two-mile dual between Justin Williams of Michigan and Illinois' Vic Twomey that should also merit much attention.

Track coach Don Canham predicts a close meet in which odd points snatched here and there may make the difference.

Detroit Escapade Finishes First In Miami-Nassau Race

NASSAU, Bahamas—(AP)—A fleet of 23 yachts straggled into Nassau harbor today, completing the 12th annual 184-mile Miami to Nassau sailing race.

Latest reports from the Coast Guard cutter Ariadne placed the 72-foot Yawl Escapade, owned by W. W. Anderson of Bayview Yacht club, Detroit, in front as they approached Nassau. Windigo, 71-foot yawl owned by Walter S. Gubelman of New York, was in second position.

Defending champion Blitzen, 55-foot cutter owned by Ernest Grates and Murray Knapp of Detroit, was in third place, followed closely by Onkaya, 60-foot yawl owned by George Sollitt of Chicago.

Escapade took over the lead at Sitruir Cay, wrestling it from Windigo after the race was two thirds completed. It forged ahead during an overnight beat to windward through northwest Providence channel.

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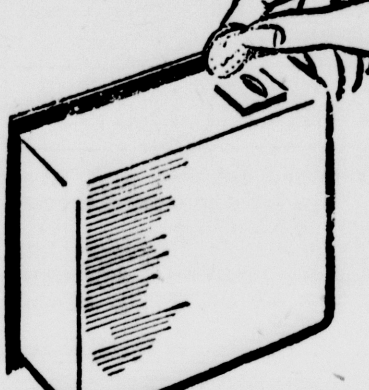
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By Al Capp

World Prayer Day Will Be Observed Here

World Day of Prayer services will be held in Escanaba on Feb. 24 at the Evangelical Covenant church, corner First avenue south and South 14th street.

Mrs. Eric Froberg, first vice president, will be in charge. Rev. Otto Steen will give the address and Rev. John Anderson will read the Scripture. Services begin at 2:30 p. m.

World Day of Prayer occurs each year on the first Friday in Lent and is sponsored nationally by the United Council of Church Women. It is observed internationally, interdenominationally and interracially.

All women of local and nearby churches are cordially invited to participate.

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Canner Cows	11-13
Feeder Cattle	17-21
Heavy Bulls	17-19
Stock Bulls	16-21
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Fair Veal	20-27
Feeder Calves	14-22
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Feeder Pigs	6-10
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Next Sale Wednesday, Feb. 22, 1950.	
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PROGRAM

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All program times are E. S. T. Every effort is made to make this listing correct. We regret that last minute changes in programs may cause inaccuracies.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 16	
6:00—Evening News	
6:15—Reflections	
6:30—Spotlight on Sports	
6:45—Music by Candlelight	
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.	
7:15—Time for a Poem	
7:25—Classified Column	
7:30—Gabriel Heatter	
7:45—Swing and Sway Time	
8:00—California Caravan	
8:30—Hockey—Escanaba vs. Gladstone	
11:00—Lighthouse Keeper	
11:30—Sign Off	

FRIDAY, FEB. 17	
7:00—Sign On and Weather	
7:05—Carroll's Coffee Club	
7:30—News	
7:40—In the Sports World	
7:45—Carroll's Coffee Club	
8:00—News	
8:05—Carroll's Coffee Club	
8:45—Morning Devotions	
9:00—News	
9:05—Three Quarter Time	
9:15—Walter Mason	
9:30—Tennessee Jamboree	
9:55—Billboard	
10:00—John Boeman	
10:15—Crosby Corner	
10:30—Hits for Misses	
11:00—Behind the Story	
11:15—On the Sunny Side	
12:00—Luncheon Melodies	
12:15—First National News	
12:30—Polka Party	
12:45—Town and Country	
1:00—Cedric Foster	
1:15—Harvey Harding Sings	
1:30—Today's Music	
2:00—Ladies Fair	
2:30—Queen for a Day	
3:00—Bob Poole Show	
4:00—Michigan Highlights	
4:05—Matinee Melodies	
4:55—Birthday Club	
5:00—Requestfully Yours	
5:30—Tom Mix	
6:00—News	
6:15—Number Please	
6:30—Spotlight on Sports	
6:45—Music by Candlelight	
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.	
7:15—According to the Record	
7:25—Classified Column	
7:30—Gabriel Heatter	
7:45—Swing and Sway Time	
8:00—Band Stand USA	
8:30—Basketball—Manistique at Escanaba	
10:00—Frank Edwards	
10:15—Mutual Newsreel	
10:30—Eddy Duchin's Orchestra	
11:00—Lighthouse Keeper	
11:30—Sign Off	

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PRODUCE DEPT.

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Pink meat Grapefruit, 3 for 26c	Large, green Broccoli, Each 29c
Northern Spy Cooking Apples, 3 Lbs. 23c	Fresh, Louisiana Strawberries, pint box 39c

MEAT DEPT.

Veal Shoulder Roast Lb. 49c	End cuts Pork Chops Lb. 39c
Sliced Bacon, Lb. 29c	Walleyes, . . Herring, . . Oysters Etc.



ACROBATICS ON ICE—A feature number of Ice-Cycles of 1950 at the Canadian Soo Memorial Gardens tonight, tomorrow and Saturday nights will be a demonstration of acrobatics on ice by Kenny Mullen and Ed Raiche. They are shown above in one of their stunts. Howard Sullivan, Escanaba, is a featured comedy skater with Ice-Cycles. Approximately 70 members of Escanaba's 1950 ice show, which recently completed a four-day stand at the Escanaba indoor rink, are planning to attend the Ice-Cycle revue at the Canadian Soo tomorrow night, which has been designated Upper Michigan night.

Countrymen Will Honor Skiers

Finnish residents of the Eben Junction and Trenchy communities are entertaining at a social in honor of the skiers from Finland entered in the Ishpeming ski tournament Friday evening, February 17, at the Blue Moon hall at Eben. The program will be followed by a lunch. The public is invited.

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Russia Sets Up Communist Rule In Asia

Chinese State Sold Down The River

(By The Associated Press)

There is a growing feeling in western capitals today that secret protocols of the new Sino-Russian treaty have sold the Chinese people down the Yangtze.

In Washington, Secretary of State Acheson said that Chinese and Russian negotiators obviously were not in Moscow for nine weeks just to come up with the simple alliance announced yesterday.

The full impact of secret codicils will become known only through time and events, Washington observers said. Similar opinions were expressed in London and Paris.

Highly placed diplomats believe that Russia's overall strategy calls for three distinct spheres in the Far East.

The first sphere, valuable to Russian security, are the border areas: Manchuria, inner Mongolia, outer Mongolia and Sinkiang. Russia is expected to maintain ironclad control over these areas directly or through trusted agents. These, says experts, will be Russia's buffer states corresponding to satellite states on Russia's European borders.

Nation Poor Risk

China proper is the second sphere. Here Russia will attempt to dominate internal and foreign policies as much as possible but with a wary eye on China's poor financial structure and unstable political history. Russia knows that sprawling China is weak economically and would be a poor risk as an ally in any prolonged war.

The third sphere is southeast Asia where Communism is knocking at the door. Russia and China which have both recognized the rebel regime of Moscow-trained Ho Chi-Minh in Indochina are expected to supply it with arms to fight French forces.

A three-day meeting of top

Obituary

MRS. ST. PIERRE
Final rites for Mrs. Amerlia Perow St. Pierre are being held at 8 tomorrow morning at St. Ann's chapel with burial in Holy Cross cemetery. The rosary will be recited at the Degan funeral home at 7:45 tonight.

MRS. ANDREW LAPPI
Funeral services for Mrs. Andrew Lappi of Rock will be held Sunday afternoon at one o'clock at the Finnish Lutheran church in Rock with Rev. Amos Marin of Gwinn officiating. Burial will be in Rock cemetery. The body is at the Anderson funeral home where friends may call beginning Saturday afternoon and will be taken to the church Sunday noon.

CHARLES GUSTAFSON
Final rites for Charles Gustafson of Perkins will be held at 2

American diplomats in the Orient broke up in Bangkok, Thailand (Siam) in a gloomy atmosphere. To many it seemed that Moscow timed the announcement of the Sino-Russian pact to take the edge off the American conference.

p. m. Friday at the Lutheran church in Perkins with Rev. Clifford Peterson officiating. Burial will be in Perkins cemetery. The body will be taken from the Anderson funeral home to the church at 1 p. m. Friday. Mr. Peterson who lived in Perkins for many years was a member of Kronan lodge No. 25 of Gladstone. His survivors in addition to two sons and one daughter include ten grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Personal News

Miss Grace Johnson and Miss Hilda Olson have left for a weekend visit in Chicago.

James T. Jones of Gladstone left this morning to spend a few days in Chicago. He plans to attend the outdoor show.

Mrs. D. A. Brotherton has re-

turned from a visit in Kingsford with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Petersen and family.

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